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# 130TH INFANTRY ARRIVES AT NEWPORT NEWS ON THE AEOLUS

## COVENANT GOES BEFORE PLENARY SESSION TODAY FOR FINAL ACTION

Japanese and French Reservations Will Be Disposed Of—Little Opposition to Monroe Doctrine Amendment Is Looked For.

## TREATY TO BE READY LATE IN THE WEEK

Only a Few Clauses Remain to Be Settled—Drafting Committee Works All of Sunday While Leaders Rest.

By the Associated Press. GENEVA, April 28.—Gustav Ador, president of the Swiss Federation, has received an urgent summons to the peace conference in Paris and departed for Paris Sunday night. The newspapers here state that he has been invited by the allies to act as arbitrator on the question of the Adriatic.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, April 28.—The revised covenant of the league of nations was before a plenary session of the peace conference today for final action. What is in store for it there is not yet clear, as negotiations have been conducted in the last few days with a view to adjusting the reservations made by the French, Japanese and Belgians when the committee adopted the revised text.

The French amendments were designed to reinforce French military security, but these may not be pressed, owing to the military security which France obtains under the settlement of the Rhine frontier. The Japanese delegates have not yet indicated whether they will renew their amendment on racial equality, as that depends somewhat on the settlement they are able to obtain concerning Kiauchow. The Belgian amendment relates to the choice of Geneva as the seat of the league and this also is in the way of adjustment.

Monroe Doctrine Clause Safe. The Monroe Doctrine amendment is not expected to encounter opposition if the question of French securities is adjusted. Premier Hughes of Australia has previously indicated his purpose of discussing the covenant as a whole and he also will be the chief opponent of the Japanese amendment if it is renewed.

A semi-official analysis of the revised covenant says that the redraft was made after consultation with 13 neutral nations, and examination of the criticisms coming from both sides of the Atlantic. The resulting document, it is declared, does not create a super state, and the league will depend upon the free consent of its component states.

Concerning the Monroe Doctrine, article 21 makes it clear that the covenant is not intended to create a weaker or weaker other agreements, so long as they are consistent with its own terms for the assurance of peace.

"In so far as the Monroe Doctrine tends to the same end," it is stated, "whatever validity it possesses cannot be affected by the covenant."

The word "external" in article 10, according to the analysis, shows that the league cannot be used like the Hoh Alliance to suppress national or other movements within the boundaries of member states, but only to prevent forcible annexation from without.

Articles 10, 11 and 19 are cited as making plain that the covenant is not intended to make the new territorial settlement in Europe unalterable for all time, but, on the contrary, to provide a machinery for the progressive regulation of international affairs of the future.

"Many of the quarrels of the past," the statement adds, "arose from the absence of this machinery, so that the covenant may be said to inaugurate a new international order and thereby eliminate, so far as possible, one of the principal causes of war."

Treaty to Be Ready Saturday. It was stated in French circles that the peace conference would be ready to present the peace treaty to the Germans Friday or Saturday of this week. The drafting committee throughout the entire day yesterday while the members of the Council of Three were taking a respite from conference work.

The French idea is that the text

## BURLESON WANTS TO RETURN CABLE LINES TO OWNERS

Postmaster-General Asks President to Approve Restoration of Properties by May 10.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 28.—President Wilson has been asked by Postmaster-General Burleson to approve the immediate return of American cable lines to their private owners. In announcing his action today, the Postmaster-General said he hoped restoration of the properties could be effected by May 10.

## MILITARY POLICE, ON DUTY IN ST. LOUIS, MAKE FIRST CASE

Cause Arrest of Man Who, They Say, Offered to Sell Them Whisky at Union Station.

The military police from Jefferson Barracks, who are now working in the city in co-operation with the police, made their first case yesterday when Sgt. Brier and Private Kanowski, Twenty-second Company, M. P., caused the arrest at Union Station of John W. Henry, 54 years old, of 1925 Market street. According to the M. P. they were on duty in the midway when Henry approached them, patting his two coat pockets and remarked: "Boys, I just got two babies left. You can have them cheap."

## FIRST WATERMELONS IN TOWN

First Crate of Eight Sell for \$20.51 to Dealer.

With watermelons on the market and a circus in town, who says it isn't summer? The first watermelons reported on the Commission Row were received this morning from Punta Gorda, Fla., and were sold to the proprietor of a stand near Union Station. There were eight melons in the introductory crate, and the dealer paid \$20.51 for them.

## TUG IS SUNK; 22 MEN LOST

By the Associated Press. BRISBANE, April 28.—The British naval tug Hught sank off Newport today with the loss of 22 men of her crew. Ten of the crew were rescued. The Hught was carrying explosives for use in clearing obstructions from the Ouse channel. It has not been determined whether the accident was due to an explosion or to the vessel striking a sandbar.

Are you going to the Theater or Movies tonight? If so, see Page 23.

Largest Circulation of Any St. Louis Newspaper—Daily or Sunday

## Another Big Sunday Added to the Advertising Record!

Yesterday the Post-Dispatch added another Sunday to the remarkable sequence of victories over the Globe-Democrat and Republic in volume of advertising carried. This chain of supremacy has now extended for a period of

## More Than 12 Years, or 630 Consecutive Sundays

Yesterday the figures again show that the Post-Dispatch alone exceeded both of the other papers combined in every department of advertising.

Total Paid Advertising—	
POST-DISPATCH alone	481 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic Combined	390 Cols.
POST-DISPATCH excess over both	91 Cols.
Home-Merchants' Advertising—	
POST-DISPATCH alone	228 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic Combined	199 Cols.
POST-DISPATCH excess over both	29 Cols.
National Advertising—	
POST-DISPATCH alone	90 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic Combined	47 Cols.
POST-DISPATCH excess over both	43 Cols.
Real Estate Wants—	
POST-DISPATCH alone	163 Cols.
Globe-Democrat and Republic Combined	144 Cols.
POST-DISPATCH excess over both	19 Cols.

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## NOTICE! EFFICIENCY BURGLAR IS BACK FROM VACATION

Immediately Resumes Business Among "Patrons and Friends" With His Own Auto and Cut Prices.

## BRINGS BACK \$1000 IN JEWELRY FOR \$50

Negotiates by Telephone With Woman in the West End After She Inserts "Want Ad."

Friends and patrons of the "efficiency burglar" will be pleased (more or less) to learn that he has returned from his vacation, and is again doing business at the same old stand, with the difference that instead of using taxicabs, as previously, he now apparently has acquired a machine of his own. The first new "customer" reported since his return is Mrs. Ernest R. Kroeger of 5532 Watterman avenue, wife of the distinguished pianist and composer.

Whether his little rest has put the burglar in a good humor, or whether he is cutting prices to a peace-time basis is not known, but it only cost Mrs. Kroeger \$50 to get back \$1000 worth of jewelry, which was stolen from her apartment, April 17. Others have paid more and got less. After the theft, Mrs. Kroeger lowered the usual formula of first notifying the police, vainly waiting several days for any result, and then advertising in the "want ad" columns. The response was almost immediate. The burglar called on the telephone Friday night, politely agreed to the offer of \$50 "reward," and discussed with Mrs. Kroeger the safest and most convenient way of completing the transaction.

He would like to have had the money at once, but the family, apprehensive of a possible second visit, or duplication by some burglar not a member of "the firm," had put a ready cash in a place of greater security. They could have it by Saturday night, and wanted to know where they could call on the burglar to wind up the deal.

Business by Appointment. "I'll make it convenient for you; I'll meet you with my car at Clara and Watterman avenues," the burglar told her. This is just a block from the Kroeger apartment. Mrs. Kroeger thought 5 o'clock in the afternoon would be a good time. The burglar paused. After a wait long enough for him to look speculatively at his watch, he said 8:30 would be

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## AMBASSADOR PAGE LEAVES ROME AND WILL GO TO PARIS

State Department Recently Said He Would Not Offer Resignation Now.

By the Associated Press. ROME, April 28.—Thomas Nelson Page, the American Ambassador to Italy has left Rome for Paris.

An Italian newspaper report from Rome received by the Associated Press April 25, said that Ambassador Page had offered his resignation because he had been made "acquainted with President Wilson's views on the Italian situation." The statement was authoritative at the State Department in Washington on that day, however, that there was no foundation for this report. It was added that there had been various reports since the committee that Ambassador Page would resign soon to resume his literary work, but opinion on the part of State Department officials was that whatever Mr. Page's personal plans for the future might be, he would not consider resigning at this time.

## PAUL O. SOMMER PLEADS GUILTY AND IS SENTENCED TO 4 YEARS

Was Sentenced in 1917 to Two Years for Another Forgery—Will Begin Serving Term at Once.

Paul O. Sommer, 34 years old, of 3122A Shenandoah avenue, who for several years was actively identified with German-American societies of various kinds, pleaded guilty to third degree forgery in Circuit Judge Taylor's Court today and, on the recommendation of Circuit Attorney McDaniel, was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary.

On Dec. 12, 1917, he was convicted of a similar offense by a jury in Circuit Judge Davis' court and sentenced to two years' imprisonment. The two sentences will run consecutively. Sommer announced that he will go to Jefferson City at once to begin serving his sentence.

Sommer originally was charged with embezzlement and forgery as secretary of the Holman Paper Box Co. The specific charge to which he pleaded guilty today was the forging and diversion to his own use of a check for \$126.75, signed by John B. Holman, president of the box company, and made payable to the Bradner-Smith Co. of Chicago.

The charge on which he was convicted in 1917 was the forgery and misappropriation of a check for \$126.75, also drawn by Holman in favor of the Chicago concern. An audit of Sommer's books, made public after he had resigned from the company in December, 1916, revealed a shortage of \$1815 of \$2485.73.

The Circuit Attorney announced that he would prosecute Sommer on charges pending against him as a result of his irregularities in handling funds of the Holman company.

## NC-3 READY FOR "JUMP OFF" FLIGHT FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

May Start Any Time Now on First Leg of Trip Overseas, Says Commander Towers.

ROCKAWAY, N. Y., April 28.—The Navy's new NC-3, which completed a successful trial at the Naval Air Station here yesterday, may "jump off" any time now for Newfoundland, on the first leg of its trip overseas.

The aircraft was taken to the station last night by Commander John C. Towers, in charge of the Navy Department's plans for a trans-Atlantic flight.

Commander Towers asserted the machine was ready for its "big hop." He made his statement after he had talked with the pilots who yesterday had taken the NC-3 up for two short but satisfactory flights. On each trip the machine carried about 28,000 pounds.

Official announcement of officers and crews selected for the flight is expected today. Word has been received here from Washington that Lieut. Walter K. Hinton and Elmer F. Stone have been selected to pilot two of the machines.

## RULING IN KANSAS GAS CASES

United States Supreme Court Refuses to Rehear.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 28.—The Supreme Court today refused to rehear the so-called Kansas gas cases in which, on March 17 last, the court reversed Federal Court decrees which enjoined the Missouri and Kansas state and municipal authorities from interfering with certain rates which had been fixed by the court in receivership proceedings, and issued a substitute judgment.

The court remands the cases for new trial below, but orders that all temporary injunctions in force at the time of the entries of the decrees from which appeals were taken shall continue in force.

The trial court is directed to hear anew and determine all the issues involved and "to take such further proceedings as may be appropriate and consistent" with the court's opinion rendered March 17.

## REVISED COVENANT MEETS OBJECTIONS, TAFT DECLARES

Former President, in St. Louis on Way Back From Speaking Tour, Says Draft Has Been Made More Clear

## BELIEVES PEOPLE FAVOR A LEAGUE

Former President, Who Came Here Unheralded, Is Met in Union Station by Mayor Kiel.

Former President William Howard Taft, after his arrival in St. Louis from Lawton, Ok., today, said that one reading of the amended covenant of the league of nations convinced him that it would be satisfactory to all except those who were unalterably opposed to the formation of such a league.

"The amended covenant, as published in the newspapers, is an improvement in clearness and in its provision for recognition of the Monroe doctrine," he said to a Post-Dispatch reporter at Hotel Jefferson.

"In my speaking tour I found that a great many persons who believed in the league idea thought that the covenant could be strengthened by amendments. The draft now made public contains everything calculated to meet those objections. I believe all those things were in the original draft, but that is a matter of opinion."

Came Unheralded. The former President came unheralded and there was no reception committee to greet him, but a policeman noted that Mayor Kiel had arrived from Excelsior Springs, about the same time. He informed the Mayor that the former President was in the parcel room at Union Station. Mayor Kiel went there and greeted Taft and took him to Hotel Jefferson in the automobile.

A man who did not make known his identity approached Taft in the station midway and said: "I expect to see you in the White House room, Mr. Taft."

With an expansive smile, Taft replied: "I'm afraid your eyes haven't been open lately."

People for League. He says. The former President said his speech-making tour had convinced him the people are for the League of Nations. He departed at noon for New York.

## SOMMINO RECEIVES OVATION ON HIS RETURN TO ROME

Resolution of Confidence in Government Drafted for Submission to Parliament.

By the Associated Press. ROME, April 28.—Foreign Minister Sonnino, who left Paris Saturday afternoon, arrived in Rome at 9:30 o'clock last night. He was given an enthusiastic reception.

At a political meeting yesterday a special committee was appointed to draft a resolution of confidence in the Government for submission to Parliament. The meeting was attended by Senators and deputies from all parties except the official Socialists.

Large crowds cheered Foreign Minister Sonnino at all the towns where their special train stopped Sunday. In a speech at Genoa, the Foreign Minister asserted that the Government is determined to obtain what is due Italy.

## CASKET OF 18-KARAT GOLD

Will Contain Certificate of Freedom of London for Wilson.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, April 28.—A beautiful gold casket, which is to contain the certificate of the freedom of the city of London, to be presented to President Wilson, is now on view at the Guild Hall. It is of 18-karat gold throughout and bears the portraits of King George and President Wilson and figures representing Britannia and Liberty. The arms of the allied countries and of the city of London appear in enamel below the portraits. The casket stands on a water gilt plinth which is supported by feet fashioned according to the arms of the city.

## OFFICERS WHO RETURNED WITH THE 138TH INFANTRY

Lieut.-Col. Rieger in Command of St. Louisans—"Duke" Sheahan a First Lieutenant With A Company.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 28.—Officers of the 138th Infantry, who returned on the Aeolus today, and their commands, were: Lieutenant-Colonel James Rieger, commanding; Capt. John E. Mitchell Jr., Adjutant; Capt. Louis J. Donohue, Personnel Adjutant; Maj. Ralph W. Campbell, First Battalion; Maj. Norman B. Comfort, Second Battalion; Maj. Harry W. Thompson, Third Battalion; First Lieut. Leonard W. Robbins, Second Battalion Adjutant; First Lieut. Joseph B. Powers, First Battalion, Intelligence Officer; First Lieut. Harry R. Steel, Third Battalion Adjutant; Maj. Fred A. Bottger, Headquarters; Capt. Albert D. Henderson; First Lieut. Eugene R. Martin; First Lieut. John H. Shelby; First Lieut. William H. Williams; First Lieut. Edwin A. Terry, and Second Lieut. Edward Manhart, Headquarters Company; Capt. Charles H. Gerhardt, attached; Maj. Emil H. Burgher, Capt. Roland S. Kieffer, Capt. Martin E. Kouri, Capt. Fred W. Thomas, First Lieut. James R. Bunch and First Lieut. Charles B. Bromberg, Sanitary Detachment; First Lieut. William H. Bowman, First Lieut. George H. Burnham, Second Lieut. Chester F. Mechin and Second Lieut. Dalbert W. Mitchell, Supply Company.

## COMMANDER OF 138TH ON ITS RETURN HOME

By the Associated Press. NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 28.—The 138th (St. Louis) Infantry came back to America today after an absence of more than a year. Lieutenant-Colonel Rieger of Kirkville, wearing the Distinguished Service Cross won in the Argonne, was in command of the regiment on the big transport Aeolus.

The Aeolus came into pier this morning at 7:30 while welcome men stood on the pier to greet the returning soldiers.

There was no sleeping on the ship, for the rails were lined with the tanned men in khaki shouting, cheering, singing and remarkably full of "pep" for such an early hour.

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By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 28.—One billion dollars had been subscribed today to the Victory Liberty Loan, according to unofficial reports.

It was considered doubtful, however, that the official figures which the Treasury recognizes will reach the billion dollar mark by tonight.

At the opening of the second week of the three-week campaign reports to the Treasury today reflect a tendency among hundreds of communities which are approaching or have passed the goal set for them to over-subscribe, in compliance with the Treasury's latest request. It will be necessary to raise \$116,000,000 subscriptions a day between now and May 19, the last day of the campaign, to subscribe the \$4,500,000,000 total of the loan.

Text of Revised Covenant of the League of Nations. The unabridged text of the revised covenant of the league of nations will be found on page 4 of this section of the Post-Dispatch.

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## WELCOMERS ABSENT WHEN ST. LOUISANS LAND AT 7:30

Regiment Returns in Command of Lieutenant-Colonel Rieger, Wearing Distinguished Service Cross—Majors Thompson, Comfort, Bottger and Burgher on Ship.

## SHOUTING, SINGING MEN LINE SHIP RAILS

Officers Lead Their Men in Two-Mile March With Packs, Through Decorated Streets and Arch of Triumph, to Camp Hill.

By CLAIR KENAMORE. A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

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quently ride in the buses which ply between the pier and the camp.

**Razovsky Greets Troops.**  
Of the legislative committee of welcome, only Razovsky, who remained faithful. He only "did not fall" for the wiles of those insidious Kansans and go down the bay on a Kansas tug to meet the 140th Regiment on the 14th, but he also walked on the sidewalks beside the men in the street and helped in the cheering.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris B. Gregg of New York, former St. Louisans, also helped to welcome the 138th before going to meet the 140th, with which regiment their son is a First Lieutenant.

The Aeolus had been posted to arrive Tuesday and the Welcoming Committee made its plans accordingly.

Aboard the Aeolus were five officers and 20 men of headquarters of the Fifty-sixth Infantry Brigade, 84 officers and 3118 men of the 138th Infantry, 4 officers and 25 men of a medical detachment and 106 sick and wounded. Brigadier-General Hubert A. Allen of Los Angeles also was on board.

Fifteen men in the 138th have won distinguished service crosses and 12 the French cross of war.

With the arrival of the Aeolus and the return of the 140th, the homeward movement of the men of the Thirty-fifth Division is largely completed. The Machine Gun Company of the 138th is due at New York City tomorrow, the 140th, the 110th Trench Mortar Battery is due May 4 at Philadelphia on the Mercury.

**Kansans There in Force.**  
To meet the Nansemond, the Kansas Reception Committee, had returned from New York, led this time by Gen. C. I. Martin, Adjutant-General of the State.

Gov. Allen expects to be here this afternoon. The Kansas room in the leading hotel of Newport News, where Kansas conversation and light refreshments are served. Gen. Martin brought with him 12 soldiers who served with the Thirty-fifth overseas and who were wounded and sent home. These men are working among the Kansas troops in the camps, learning what they need and helping them out. Kansas has chartered a tug to go down the bay and give the regiment a rousing welcome with sirens blowing and sunflowers waving.

Approximately 5000 more officers and men arrived on the transport Nansemond, which brought 11 officers and 876 men of the 139th Infantry, and 99 officers and 3377 men of the 140th Infantry (the old Third and Sixth Missouri Regiments), both of the Thirty-fifth Division; two casual companies, nine casual officers and 284 sick and wounded men.

**Train of State Officials to Meet 138th Was Delayed 12 Hours.**

Miss V. A. L. Jones, in charge of the work of auxiliary organizations of the Thirty-fifth Division, today explained the absence of State officials from the pier at Newport News when the 138th Infantry landed this morning. She said the special train which was to have left Jefferson City at 10 a. m. Saturday was delayed in leaving until 10 p. m., because Adjutant-General Clark was not able to get away from his office work, and that this 12-hour delay kept the delegation from getting to the seaport in time to meet the regiment.

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much more convenient, and the engagement was made.

However, when with due allowance for courtesy, the burglar's hand had not lost its cunning; he was still playing it safe, and Mr. and Mrs. Kroeger waited in vain for 15 minutes, although the burglar was not able to get away from his office work, and that this 12-hour delay kept the delegation from getting to the seaport in time to meet the regiment.

Delivered by Messenger.  
"Two white men told me to give you this and get an answer, and if there's no answer, I'm not to leave the package," he said. I knew right away it must be from that odd burglar and, sure enough, my jewelry was all there. I called the police, as I thought they might be interested.

"Satisfied," she repeated. "Of course I'm satisfied. I have my jewelry back, and that was what I wanted. The man treated me very nicely. I consider that he was reasonable, if \$50 is reasonable."

**TEN YEARS FOR BURGLARY**

Roy Stout, also known as Roy Elton, changed his plea of not guilty to pleas of guilty on two charges of burglary and larceny. In Judge Guacheco's court today, Stout was sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary. He also was charged under the habitual criminal act and feared the possibility of a life sentence.

Stout robbed the home of James E. Cook, 5506 Pershing avenue, Feb. 22 last, and the home of Samuel Baumgarten, 5592 Pershing avenue, Feb. 25 last. In 1911 he was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary for a series of St. Louis burglaries.

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Levinson's Blue Black Writing Fluid. "A fluid for writing that's simply delightful." Ask your dealer. Made in St. Louis—Adv.

**"Y" Hut Serves 545 Men.**

Canteen workers at the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Hut, Twelfth and Olive streets, last night served 545 men of the 148th Infantry, Fortieth Division, with pie and ice cream. The men recently returned from overseas and were en route to El Paso from an Eastern debarkation camp.

## WILHELM TO BE TRIED BY INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL

Holland Will Be Asked to Surrender Him for "Crime Against Humanity"—Military Courts for Officers.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, April 28.—Trial of the former German Emperor for a "supreme offense against international morality and the sanctity of treaties" has been determined upon by the allied and associated Powers. Holland will be requested to surrender the royal refugee for arraignment before a court composed of five Judges named by the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan.

The State Department made public today proposed articles for insertion in the peace treaty, to be considered this afternoon by the peace conference in plenary session, which will be the trial of Wilhelm of Hohenzollern and also requiring Germany to deliver all persons within its borders charged with "having exercised acts in violation of the laws and customs of war," for arraignment before military tribunals of the allied and associated Powers whose nationals suffered through such offenses.

**Weighty Problem Solved.**  
Thus the peace conference commission on responsibility for the war has solved its most weighty problem. The State Department's announcement of the solution was received here generally with surprise, because it was known that Secretary Lansing, chairman of the commission, had steadfastly opposed any attempt to bring the former Kaiser before an international tribunal.

Lansing contended there was no means by which such a trial could be reached by the conference, and that it would be contrary to the Constitution of the United States for the American delegates to participate in the execution of a sort of international ex-post-facto law. At that time, however, it was proposed to charge criminal and military offenses, and it was suggested today that the decision to base the indictment upon violation of international morality and the sanctity of treaties was taken to meet the American viewpoint.

All persons accused of having committed an act in violation of the laws and customs of war who are specified "either by name or by the rank, office or employment which they held under the German authorities," will be demanded of the German Government for trial by the military tribunal of the power against whose nationals the criminal acts were perpetrated.

**State Department Announcement.**  
The announcement issued by the State Department follows: "Following are the proposed articles regarding penalties, for insertion in treaty of peace to be considered at a plenary session of conference today, Monday, at 3 o'clock p. m., Paris time:

"Article 1. The allies and associated Powers publicly arraign Wilhelm II of Hohenzollern, formerly German Emperor, not on an offense against criminal law, but for a supreme offense against international morality and the sanctity of treaties. "A special tribunal will be constituted to try the accused, thereby assuring him the guarantees essential to the right of defense. It will be composed of five Judges, one appointed by each of the following five Powers, namely, the United States of America, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan.

"In its decision the tribunal will be guided by the highest motives of international policy, with a view to vindicating the solemn obligations of international undertakings and the validity of international morality. It will be the duty to fix the punishment which it considers should be imposed.

"The allied and associated powers will address a request to the Government of the Netherlands for the surrender to them of the ex-Emperor in order that he may be put on trial.

**Military Courts for Officers.**  
"Article 2. The German Government not having insured the punishment of the persons accused of having exercised acts in violation of the

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of the treaty is nearly completed. The military and naval sections have been finished with the exception of those pertaining to the Kiel canal and some secondary points.

Aside from the disposition of Kiaochow, which some of the delegates are confident will be settled today, there remain to be settled conclusively questions of the status of the game in the Duchy of Luxembourg; the disposition of the German cable lines and the repatriation of German prisoners of war. The report of the special committee on the latter question is expected today.

It was said that all the other problems had been solved and drafted into the treaty, including the control of the west bank of the Rhine. The latest reports are that a secret plenary session will be held Thursday or Friday evening for communication of the terms to the allied and associated Powers.

The Temps says the committee entrusted with preparing the program concerning Alsace-Lorraine has achieved a definite draft in which all the clauses of France are admitted.

La Liberté says Cay and Tardieu has been invited to prepare the outline of the peace treaty which is to be handed to the German plenipotentiaries, and that this indicates that the Italian plenipotentiaries will leave Monday night at the same time as the delegation itself.

**Denial by Italians.**  
Italian representatives here denied two published statements in connection with the present crisis. One concerned the report that Premier Orlando had read President Wilson's statement before it was made public.

The Italian statement says that the Premier has known the statement but was not aware of the text.

The other concerned the publication in Paris of a report that Premier Orlando would return to Paris on May 1 to resume his place in the peace conference. The Italians say that the Premier's plans are wholly indefinite and that it is not known when he will return.

A project for an alliance between France and America actually is under way, the Echo de Paris says. President Wilson, however, the newspaper adds, is withholding action until he can place the matter before the American Senate for ratification.

The newspapers report that Salvatore Barzila, a member of the Italian peace delegation, declared he intended to return to Paris. Barzila is a Republican deputy and a former member of the Italian cabinet. He left Paris with Premier Orlando Friday night.

## HOSPITAL UNIT 21 TO BE HERE ALL DAY WEDNESDAY

Telegram From Col. Veeder, Commanding, Says It Will Arrive in Morning and Stay Until Late at Night.

WILL GET SAME KIND OF WELCOME AS 128TH

Parade Arranged, to Cover Same Route That Will Be Taken by Artillery Regiment Tomorrow.

Base Hospital Unit 21 of the American Red Cross, the St. Louis unit, will arrive in St. Louis Wednesday morning, and will get a public welcome of the same sort which the 128th Field Artillery is to have tomorrow.

The hospital unit will parade over the same route as that announced for the artillery regiment, and will be reviewed from the official reviewing stand on Twelfth street, and then greeted by relatives in the city hall plaza.

As the hospital unit is smaller than the artillery regiment, only a part of the grandstand will be reserved for relatives of members and the rest will be thrown open to the public. The time for taking seats in the grand stand will be made known probably tomorrow, when it is expected that the relatives of the unit's arrival will be known.

A telegram was received by the Mayor's Reception Committee today from Lieutenant-Colonel Borden S. Veeder, in command of the unit, at Camp Merritt, N. J. The message was:

"As directed by the War Department, you are notified that Base Hospital Unit 21 will arrive in St. Louis Wednesday morning, for reception. Desire to leave for Camp Funston late Wednesday night, giving men a few hours with families in St. Louis. Will notify you of probable exact time of arrival."

**History of Unit 21.**  
Unit 21 was organized at Barnes Hospital, with the Washington University medical department as a basis for the personnel. The unit was called into active service May 16, 1917, and was assembled in Christ Church Cathedral, where a service of benediction and farewell was conducted by the chaplain, Dean Carroll M. Davis, who went with the unit as its chaplain.

The unit left St. Louis the following day, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel J. D. Pfeiffer, and sailed from New York May 19 on the SS. St. Paul, and landed at Liverpool May 28. The unit was then sent to the British General Hospital No. 12, which the unit took over.

During the period of adjustment, Lieutenant-Colonel Jamieson of the British Army Medical Corps remained at the hospital as command officer. Lieutenant-Colonel Pfeiffer, when he was called to active military service, Oct. 18, Maj. Fred T. Murphy, a medical officer, took charge. He was called on May 15, 1918, to be director of medical and surgical work of the American Red Cross in France. Miss Julia C. Stinson, chief nurse of the unit, was promoted in June, 1918, to the position of chief nurse of the American Red Cross in France, and in October to the position of chief nurse of the American Expeditionary Force, this being the highest appointment possible for a military nurse.

**Special Mention for Two Women.**  
Miss Stinson and Miss Constance A. Campbell, of the St. Louis unit, were among those receiving special mention from Field Marshal Haig, British Commander in Chief.

During its service at Rouen, the unit conducted a 15-bed hospital and handled 62,400 cases, according to Lieutenant-Colonel Veeder, about three times as many as any other American hospital unit handled.

The unit returned to the United States on the Great Waldersee, one of the German ships surrendered under the terms of the armistice, and arrived at New York a week ago yesterday.

Three of the men of the unit died in France, all from influenza. They were Sergt. Humphrey Evans, Sheldon Murray and James Simpson.

**HINES WILLING TO TAKE UP PRICE STABILIZATION AGAIN**

Railroad Director Agrees to Meet Representatives of Steel Producers Again.

DENVER, April 28.—Director-General of Railroads Hines, in a statement issued upon his arrival here today, announced his willingness to accept the offer made by the Industrial Board of the Department of Commerce to bring together representatives of the Railroad Administration and steel producers to settle the controversy over the Government's price stabilization program.

**German Delegation to Start to Versailles Monday Night.**

BERNE, Switzerland, April 28.—The German cabinet council, according to advices from Berlin, has decided that the peace delegation to Versailles will be made up of plenipotentiaries, who will leave Monday night at the same time as the delegation itself.

**Post-Dispatch WANTS ADS are your servants, ready to wait on you at a moment's notice.**

## BAN ON TRADING WITH NEUTRALS OFF TOMORROW

War Trade Board Announces Suspension of Enemy Trading List.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, April 28.—Withdrawal of the enemy trading list established under the trading with the enemy act, to prevent trading and communication between the United States and persons in neutral countries suspected of serving the enemy interests is announced by the War Trade Board in accordance with a decision of the Inter-Allied Economic Council. Cancellation of the list is effective April 29, when all penalties attached to its violation will become inoperative.

The Board's announcement stated that the withdrawal in no way modified the present restrictions against trade and communication between the United States and Germany, Hungary as the remaining enemy states.

According to the announcement, and in concurrent statement issued by the alien property custodian, the withdrawal of the list does not authorize trade with respect to any property heretofore taken over by the custodian under the trading with the enemy act, or reported to him as such, or to "seize or assignment," or which should have been so reported, on or before April 28.

Exemption from seizure or transfer under the act is accorded, however, said the custodian, to all assets, credits or property which may be "introduced in the United States" after that date in behalf or on account of any persons with whom personnel of the United States in the United States is granted by the withdrawal of the enemy trading list.

Reports of all such credits or assets, it was said, must be filed with the alien property custodian.

**MISSOURI MAJOR MARRIES FEW HOURS AFTER HE LANDS**

Commander of 117th Signal Battalion and Kansas City Girl Wed at Old Point Comfort.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 28.—The first man off the battleship South Carolina yesterday was Maj. Richard T. Smith of Kansas City, who is in command of the 117th Signal Battalion. There was a good reason for it, too. Just as the ship docked, and even before the first of the troops had disembarked, Maj. Smith went over the rail, jumped across the open space between the ship and the dock and landed right side up.

A few hours later the Major had returned to his camp. Here is what he wanted published:

"Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Plank, 1601 Linwood boulevard, wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Bethine, to Maj. Richard T. Smith, commanding the 117th Signal Battalion, in the parlors of the Hotel Chamberlain at Old Point Comfort, Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

Maj. and Mrs. Smith were married by the battalion chaplain, the Rev. Albert E. Day.

**GOMPERTS' CONDITION SHOWS CONSIDERABLE IMPROVEMENT**

Labor Leaders Pinned in Wreckage of Taxi Which Is Hit by Street Car in New York.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, April 28.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who was injured in a collision between an automobile and a street car on Broadway yesterday, was reported resting comfortably. It was said his condition showed considerable improvement.

A taxicab in which he was riding was struck by a Broadway surface car. The taxicab was driven by a man named Gompers, who was reported to have been injured. The taxicab was carrying a number of passengers, including Gompers, who was reported to have been injured.

Gompers had left his hotel for an hour's relaxation when the accident occurred. As the taxicab crossed the Broadway car tracks at Thirty-first street, it was struck by a north-bound car. Pedestrians rushed to the wrecked machine and extricated Gompers, who was found to be unconscious. One side of the cab was completely crushed in and the wreckage had pinned him against the other side of the machine. Gompers was carried back to his hotel. After an examination by surgeons, it was decided it would be unwise to remove him to a hospital. Mrs. Gompers, who has been in ill health for some time, was informed of the accident by telephone.

**FORMER SOLDIER NOT ROBBED**

Friend Took His Check and Valuables for Safe Keeping.

Fred Godier, formerly a member of the American Expeditionary Force, was reported to have been robbed while on the way to his home in Prairie du Rocher, Ill., learned later that a friend was taking care of his possessions.

Godier went to sleep while waiting for his train at East St. Louis, after having checked his suit case, overcoat and gas mask. While asleep a friend of Godier's, a soldier, fearing that Godier would miss his train, took the check from the sleeping man and his valuable. When Godier awoke and found his check gone he rushed to the police. When the train pulled in Godier's friend appeared with the missing articles and everything was straightened out.

**Reserve Bank Governor Dies.**

By the Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—James Kennedy Lynch, Governor of the United States Twelfth Federal Reserve Bank in this city, died early today at his home in Pasadena, near here, from an attack of heart disease.

## FINAL PLANS MADE FOR WELCOME TO 128TH TOMORROW

Bombs Will Be Fired Two Hours Before Arrival of St. Louis Artillerymen on Way to Camp Funston.

RELATIVES TO SEE THEM AFTER PARADE

Assured They Will Have Plenty of Time to Visit With Men—City Offices and Schools to Be Closed.

St. Louis will greet the 128th Field Artillery, first returning unit of the Thirty-fifth Division, American Expeditionary Force, with a celebration which will begin two hours before the expected arrival of the regiment tomorrow, and will continue as long as it remains here. It is on its way from Camp Devens, Mass., to Camp Funston, Kan., for demobilization.

Beginning with the firing of signal bombs, two hours before the arrival of the first of the two troop trains carrying the regiment, the rest of the day will be a municipal holiday, and business hours, especially those not on the line of march, have been requested to release as many of their employees as possible, giving preference to relatives of men in the regiment. The public schools will be closed for the day and most of the parochial and private schools are expected to close.

The Mayor's reception committee met this morning with Acting Mayor Alton to arrange final details of the welcome. The committee is endeavoring to persuade the relatives of the men and the public generally, not to gather about the Eighteenth street bridge, where the men are to detain, but to line up along the line of march, which begins at Twentieth street and Washington avenue.

**Requests to Near Relations.**  
Near relatives, holding tickets, are requested to wait in the grandstand on Twelfth street for the passing of the troops.

After the troops have passed the grandstand, the relatives will be admitted by presenting stubs of their grandstand tickets to the City Hall plaza, where the reception to the men will take place. The relatives are requested by the committee to remain in their seats until the entire line has passed, as the assurance is given that there will be abundant time to get to the City Hall enclosure and to find individuals there.

The grandstand will be policed by the First and Third Regiments, Missouri Home Guard. The grandstand will be kept clear until the first bombs are fired, when those holding tickets will be admitted.

The city hall plaza will be policed by 275 policemen and an equal number of navy veterans. A band of 40 pieces will play on the reviewing stand during the two hours between the first bombs and the second salvo of bombs, which will be the signal for a general din that will make a band's efforts useless.

Wounded men from the Marine Hospital, Jefferson Barracks, and other hospitals have been reported to Mrs. Claude Mathews, in charge of registration. These men will be brought to the court of honor by the members of the women's motor corps of the Red Cross. A special place is set aside for them in the grandstand as well as for the men of the Thirty-fifth Division who have returned home ahead of their units.

Automobiles carrying about 25 of the wounded and sick men of the Thirty-fifth Division will form on the north side of Washington avenue, west of Twentieth street, facing east, and will run in single file in the parade.

The Victory Loan bank, carrying overseas men, will be at the rear of the line. An ambulance of the Red Cross Motor Corps will be in the line, and city hospital ambulances will be at corners convenient to scenes of possible emergencies.

Nine officers of the 128th will ride in the parade. S. S. Pingree, chairman of the automobile committee, said last night that all cars needed had been promised.

The City Hall Plaza was being fenced off today. The welfare unit, the Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare Society, the Salvation Army, who will entertain the men, are making arrangements for large trucks from which to supply food.

Finance Committee, and a corps of workers checked over their contributions yesterday.

**Fund \$30,000 Short.**

A tabulation shows only 300 subscriptions out of an appeal to 1200, with a total of \$20,000, toward the fund for welcoming the 128th, and later, the 138th Infantry, and other parts of the Thirty-fifth Division, and other St. Louis units.

"This is not even half of the fund we need," said Wade. "I was trusting that we could raise every penny of the \$50,000 before one of the units got back. We didn't want to be soliciting funds after they returned."

Edward Hadden, chairman of the Mayor's Committee, is speaking of the need for co-operation on the part of relatives and the public in the plans as arranged, said:

"The open space in the vicinity of Eighteenth street is not large enough to permit of congregating there, and a strong guard of police-

## Facts About Welcome to Men of the 128th Artillery Tomorrow

Arrival—Tomorrow, probably about noon.

Canteening—By Red Cross on arrival at Eighteenth street bridge. By Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army and Jewish Welfare after the parade. Court of honor—Extends from Market street to Washington avenue on Twelfth street. Reserved especially for relatives. Reviewing stand—East side of Twelfth street, between Olive and Olive.

Route of parade—Officially starts at Twentieth and Washington avenue, east to Broadway, south to Olive street, west to Eleventh, north to Washington, west to Twelfth, south to Clark, west to Thirteenth and north into the city hall plaza.

Signal of arrival—Bombs will be fired at all fire engine houses two hours before the troops arrive. Upon their arrival bombs will be fired and whistles blown. Relatives' reception—In city hall plaza.

Time to see men—Upon entering grand stand of court of honor, relatives will be given back half of ticket. This will admit them into reception space at city hall plaza. Relatives' committee requests that relatives remain seated in grand stand until parade is entirely over. There will be plenty of time and space for their visits with the men in city hall enclosure. Relatives are urged to adhere to this request, so as not to interfere with the parade by rushing through court of honor during the parade.

Wounded men—A special place is reserved in the stand opposite the reviewing stand for wounded soldiers. Thirty-fifth Division men—A space is reserved in stand opposite reviewing stand.

Police regulations—Eighteenth and other streets on which parade is formed will not be open to the public. Eighteenth street will be closed. No automobiles to be parked on route of parade and no automobiles other than official cars allowed in court of honor. Throwing of food, garbage and streamers prohibited by ordinance.

Men and soldiers and sailors will be on hand to see that it is kept clear for the formation of the procession. There is going to be an immense crowd and the committee is confronted with greater problems than in the past. The committee is endeavoring to solve these problems. But if the public will aid us by following the requests of the committee the parade will proceed with complete satisfaction and everybody will be given a chance to see the boys. After all the welcome of the mothers, sisters, sweethearts and fathers is the real incentive behind the celebration, and it is their right to have the maximum time with the soldiers.

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**State Legislature Takes recess to Come Here for Celebration.**  
By the Associated Press.  
JACKSON, Miss., April 28.—The House today adopted a resolution to adjourn over Wednesday so that all members who care to may attend the celebration to welcome the returning 128th Artillery in St. Louis with higher honors.

The Senate will adjourn at noon today and many of the Senators will go to St. Louis on an afternoon train. The House will work until late in the afternoon and will leave for St. Louis on a night train.

The Senate voted to send all its members to St. Louis at State expense. The House defeated a similar resolution, voting 17 to 15, to send members without a dissenting vote, a resolution offered by Senator Glick to allow each Senator \$20 for expenses for the trip to St. Louis.

Representative Byrnes, Democrat, offered the like resolution in the House, explaining that the Senate had adopted it. John C. Dyott gave the Republican members their cue by the brief statement that the Senate does lots of things that the House can't get away with."

**STRIKE IN CAIRO IS ENDED**

Government Workers Go Back After American Letter.

By the Associated Press.  
CAIRO, Wednesday, April 23.—The strike of Government officials is over and work has been resumed. The publication of the American letter recognizing the British protest against the strike acted like a cold douche to the extremists, who recognize the futility of their aspirations regarding complete independence now that America has taken the lead in recognizing Great Britain's position in Egypt.

**Shipments Board Retirements.**

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, April 28.—Chas. P. Pies, director-general and general manager, and seven other administrative officials of the Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation, will retire from office May 1 to resume private business. It was announced here today. Mr. Pies will return to Chicago, and Howard Connelley, vice president in charge of administration, will return to Boston.

The other retiring officers are: Admiral G. H. Rousseau, head of the shipyard plants division; Charles F. Wallace, assistant to the director-general; Daniel H. Cox, head of the ship construction division; Gordon Wilson, general auditor; R. W. Leatherbee, head of the industrial relations division; and M. D. Ferris, head of the construction division.

## WIRE TO KEEP BACK WRITERS AT VERSAILLES

Correspondents May View Dignitaries From Behind Barrier in Courtyard.

By the Associated Press.  
VERSAILLES, Saturday, April 26.—Journals rapidly are getting into shape the buildings of the royal palace and the hotels adjoining for the meeting of the peace congress. The preliminary sessions between the German plenipotentiaries and the delegates of the five great associated and allied Powers will be held in the room in the Trianon Palace Hotel, in which the sessions of the supreme Allied War Council were held during the war.

The room in which the first discussions will take place is common place in the associations compared with the Hall of Mirrors in which the treaty will be signed.

Three large windows fill almost the entire side of the wall looking out on the gardens of the hotel with a pleasant vista of trees. The windows are hung with curtains of rich yellow and blue. Two small salons adjoining the conference room probably will be thrown into it to make room for the deliberations.

A large force of workmen was busy today installing telephones and making other arrangements for the congress, including the erection of a wire barrier in the courtyard from behind which the multitude of newspaper correspondents will be permitted to witness the arrival and departure of the plenipotentiaries.



## GERMANY 'MADHOUSE,' SPARTACANS 'INMATES'

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New Sort of Militarism Said to Be Holding Agitators Down for Ebert Regime.

By CYRIL BROWN  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.  
BERLIN, Via Copenhagen, April 10.—Germany today resembles a mad house, seemingly well regulated, wherein armed Government orderlies are still able ruthlessly to suppress isolated outbursts of the Spartacist inmates.

The Bolsheviks agitators are confined in straitjackets effectively tightened by the new militarism, which differs from the militarism of the days before the armistice only in the fact that the military autocracy of Kaiserism has been replaced by a military-democratic oligarchy personified by the strong Hindenburg-Noske combination.

The only question is how long before the whole mad house will run amuck simultaneously. Unless precipitated accidentally, present indications are that such a crisis is not imminent but that the present acute tension will drag on for several weeks, the final crisis and catastrophe breaking when the concrete terms of peace are made known to

The general situation today is slightly favorable for the Ebert Government. More than 40,000 loyal troops are reported to be in Berlin. Strong emergency field fortifications have been improvised over night around all the potential trouble cen-

ters in the metropolis. The Spartacists, apparently, are cowed by the Government's strong show of cannon, machine guns, mines and hand grenade tossers.

**Revolutionary Plans.**

The strategic revolution plans appear to let Berlin stew in revolution-

ary unrest while fomenting outbreaks in all other parts of Germany in the hope of ultimately isolating Berlin in a tightening ring of revolution. Each day's procrastination in signing a peace treaty increases the victorious chance of Bolshevism in Berlin, since food and economic con-

ditions continue to grow worse daily. Time is fighting on the side of the Spartacists. This is, perhaps, the fatal weakness in the Government's superficially strong position today.

The loyalty of the volunteer army to the Ebert Government rests on three factors. The Praetorian Guard

is being well fed and well paid, and the spirit of militarism survives in the old officers' and non-commissioned officers' corps. This results in a high standard of discipline in the new army, whose fighting efficiency is increased, perhaps, by the fact that the old autocratic military

harness has been softened by the new democratic spirit of the times. As long as the Ebert Government can feed and pay its Praetorian Guard and officers, and can maintain discipline, the volunteer army will support this or any other Government catering to it. The Ebert Government today not only has Ber-

The general impression is that Gustav Noske, the "strong man of the Government," is getting a half-nelson on the Spartacists.

The Berlin Tageblatt points out the grotesque humor of the situation, saying:

"The real Bavarians are being led by café heroes from Berlin, Vienna and Warsaw. The whole affair resembles a village rough house. The Munich Soviet regime is too crazy

In the face of all rumors the fact is that the Government is much less worried over the situation in Bavaria. Its reaction on the rest of Germany has been much less than was expected. That the Munich Soviet has broken off relations with the Ekbert Government seems likely

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And don't throw away your old shoes. Have them re-soled with Neolin Soles. Remember—these soles are flexible and waterproof, as well as long wearing, and are made by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, who also make Wingfoot Heels—guaranteed to out-wear all other heels.

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**Italian Cloth, Yard**  
BLACK only, 54 inches wide. A very durable weave. (Second Floor.)

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A SPLENDID color range, as well as white. 40 inches wide. (Second Floor.)

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BLACK only, splendid quality. Yard wide. (Second Floor.)

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EXCELLENT quality, in new designs and color combinations. 40 in. wide. (Second Floor.)

**Black Sateen, Yard**  
VARD-WIDE Black Sateen, of an exceptionally good quality. (Second Floor.)

**White Sateen, Yard**  
BEST quality Sateen—a number that is soft and lustrous and durable in wear. (Second Floor.)

**Children's Dresses**  
STAMPED Dresses made of chambray in pink, tan and blue. Simple designs. Sizes 4 and 6 years. (Art Needlework Dept.—2d Floor.)

**Silk-Covered Pillows**  
OBLONG or square shape, in rose, blue, mulberry or gold, trimmed with fruit. (Art Needlework—Second Floor.)

**Transformations**  
FOR all around the head—made of good quality material, in various designs, and at a meeting made to art as to what to take.

**Bedspreads, Each**  
SATIN Marseilles Bedspreads, of \$3.95 heavy quality, in many different raised designs. Scalloped and with cut corners. Size 84x96 inches, for full-sized beds. (Second Floor.)

**Pattern Tablecloths**  
MADE of fine quality bleached damask, very closely woven, in many new oval designs. Measure 72x90 in. (Second Floor.)

**Children's Dresses**  
WHITE Lawn Dresses, in waisted style—some have deep embroidered skirts, others trimmed with lace and embroidery. Sizes 2 to 6 years. (Second Floor.)

**Children's Nightdrawers**  
MADE of crossbar nainsook, open-front style, drop seat. Sizes 2 to 10 years. (Second Floor.)

**Women's Sweaters**  
SHEFLAND Wool Sweaters, in pink, rose and green. Made with sailor collar and belt. (Second Floor.)

**Children's Sweaters**  
MERCERIZED Cotton Sweaters, in slip-on style, in rose, Copenhagen and Kelly. Made with sailor collar, pockets and sash. Sizes 8 to 12 years. (Second Floor.)

**Women's Petticoats**  
COTTON Taffeta Petticoats in figured designs, made with plaited flounce, elastic waistband. (Second Floor.)

**Wool Goods, Yard**  
WOOL Dress Fabrics, \$1.25 similar to poplin in weave, in various colors with hairline stripes. A wonderful fabric. These are the mill's sample pieces from which orders have been taken for next Fall. 40 inches wide. (Second Floor.)

**Dress Voiles, Yard**  
ALL this season's patterns, pretty designs 35c and color combinations. 36 in. wide. (Square 3—Main Floor.)

**Baseball Uniforms**  
BOYS' Baseball Uniforms, consisting of shirt, pants, cap, pair of hose and belt. Come in gray with navy blue trimming. Sizes 28 to 34. (Second Floor Annex.)

**Inner Tubes**  
VICTOR Springfield Combination Inner Tubes, made of pure gum black rubber. Fit 30x3 or 30x3 1/2 tire. (Second Floor Annex.)

**Cook Book, Each**  
"WHITE HOUSE" Cook Book, containing over 600 pages of recipes, menus, health suggestions and other facts worth knowing. (Second Floor.)

**"Our Baby Book"**  
BY Fanny Cory. A baby's record book, \$1.65 beautifully illustrated in colors and having appropriate poem to each record page. Size 9x11 in. (Second Floor.)

**"Baby's Childhood Days"**  
A RECORD BOOK, illustrated in colors, 45c pink or blue, in which to keep the baby's biography. (Second Floor.)

**Pillow Tops, Each**  
HAND-Embroidered Madeira Pillow \$1.50 Tops, of all linen. They are semi-made and gorgeously embroidered. Just too to offer. (Embroidery Dept.—Main Floor.)

**Women's Oxfords, Pair**  
TAN Russia Calf and Brown Kid Oxfords, made over English lasts, with military heels. All sizes. (Main Floor.)

**Shoe Cleaner, Each**  
BOSTONIAN Cream, for cleaning colored kid leathers. (Main Floor.)

**Slipper Ornaments, Pair**  
SLIPPER Buckles and Ornaments, in various designs, for selection at Tuesday's sale price. (Main Floor.)

**Waist Unit Suits**  
CHILDREN'S Knit Button Waist Unit Suits, strongly reinforced with tape. Drop seat closing. Sizes up to 12 years. Three garments, \$7.00. (Main Floor.)

**Women's Vests, Each**  
SWISS Ribbed Vests, with taped neck and arms. Full length. Three for 55c. (Main Floor.)

**Fiber Silk Stockings**  
WOMEN'S Black White Stockings, with extra double toe, heels and garter tops. (Main Floor.)

**Thread Silk Stockings**  
WOMEN'S Thread Silk Stockings, in black, white and colors. Double splices of lisle thread. Slight irregulars. (Square 6—Main Floor.)

**Women's Handbags**  
SILK Pouch Bags, in black, gray, blue; also Patent Leather Avenue Bags, black only—nicely lined in good-wearing silk, all colors. Have coin purse and mirror and handles to match. (Main Floor.)

**Silver Polish, Pint**  
WRIGHT'S Silver Polish—high grade, economical and guaranteed not to scratch the finest finished silverware. (Main Floor.)

**Pound Paper, Box**  
LOUISINE Bond Pound Paper, very good quality—160 sheets to the box at this exceptionally low price. (Main Floor.)

**Pearl Buttons, 3 Cards**  
FRESH Water and Ocean Pearl Buttons, plain 20c and fancy shapes, all wanted sizes. 3 to 12 on card. (Main Floor.)

**Silver Hatpins, Pair**  
STERLING Silver Hatpins, in several neat designs, with 5-inch stems. Two on card. (Main Floor.)

**Toilet Goods**  
(Quantities Limited.)  
Talcum Powder—Babcock's Corylopsis, 73c  
Dora Complexion Powder—all colors, 33c  
Palmyre Palmole Powder, at Bath Tablets—Swift's "Regina," assorted odors, each, 7c (Main Floor.)

**Cigarettes, Carton**  
MURAD and Natural Cigarettes, packed 100 in carton. (Main Floor.)

**Tungsten Cigars, Each**  
EVERY Cigar is absolutely fresh and in perfect smoking condition. Tin of 25 for \$1.25. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

**Chancellor Cigars, Each**  
CHOICE of Chancellor or Preference Cigars, strictly handmade and perfect smoking, at the box of 50 for \$2.45. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

**Boys' Coveralls**  
ROMPER Coveralls, of high-grade chambray, khaki and denim, in fast-color plain blue or blue stripes. High or low neck. All are cut extra full. Sizes 2 to 8 years. (Square 2—Main Floor.)

**Boys' Suits**  
COME in the new panel-back style, \$5.75 trousers full lined and taped. Well tailored, of brown and gray mixture materials. Sizes 6 to 18 years. (Square 2—Main Floor.)

**Men's Tan Shoes**  
ENGLISH Walking Shoes, in dark tan, with Goodyear welt soles and rubber heels. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

**Trousers at Pair**  
MEN'S Trousers, in gray and brown mixtures. May be had with or without cuff bottoms. Sizes 29 to 38. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

**Men's Soft Hats**  
A LOT of new Spring Soft Hats, in becoming styles and in shades of green, brown, blue and pearl. All sizes, although not in every style. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

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LIGHT-WEIGHT Ribbed Union Suits, in ecru color. Short sleeves, ankle length, closed crotch. All sizes. (Square 14—Main Floor.)

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FRENCH Filled Pearl Beads, 54 inches long. 89c Choice of three different size beads with gold-plated ring clasp. (Main Floor.)

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IMPORTED French Steel Slipper Buckles, 39c strongly made and in a variety of styles. A very special lot. (Jewelry Dept.—Main Floor.)

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**Rick Rack Braid, Bolt**  
MERCERIZED quality, all widths. 6 yards to the bolt. (Main Floor.)

**Sanitary Napkins, Box**  
GOOD quality Sanitary Napkins, put up three to the box. (Main Floor.)

**Salt and Peppers, Each**  
SALT and Pepper Shakers, of glass, with sterling silver deposit and heavily silver-plated top. (Main Floor.)

**Children's "Dear Kar"**  
THEY are made of wood with horse head, and are a splendid exerciser for the little tots. (Toy Dept.—Fifth Floor.)

**7-Piece Water Sets**  
CONSISTING of Pitcher and six Glasses—with very attractive light-cut designs on lead blanks. (Fifth Floor.)

**18-Piece China Sets**  
CONSISTING of six each Dinner Plates, Cups and Saucers, of semi-porcelainware with blue bird design and blue line. (Fifth Floor.)

**Boudoir Lamps**  
MAHOGANY finished base, fitted with 8-inch silk shade in assorted colors. (Fifth Floor.)

**Wall Paper, Room Lot**  
ENOUGH Wall Paper, for a room, 12x12 feet, in patterns suitable for any room. (Fourth Floor.)

**"Leader" Coffee, 3 Lbs.**  
A BLENDING of high-grade Coffee, which has a delicious flavor and is economical. Packed in airtight cartons, ready for use. Pound, 36c. (Downstairs Store Annex.)

**Lace Curtains, Pair**  
FILET and Notting- \$1.59 ham Curtains, new Spring styles and desirable patterns. White and ivory. (Downstairs Store.)

**Lace Curtains, Pair**  
FILET and Scotch Net Curtains, in a varied range of new designs. White, ivory and beige shades. (Downstairs Store.)

**Linoleum Rugs**  
HEAVY Felt Linoleum Rugs, in shades of tan and blue. Size 34 1/2 feet—very useful in the kitchen or bathroom. (Downstairs Store.)

**Pink Corsets**  
TWO styles in P. N. non-rustable Corsets, in a dainty pink color. Low and medium bust, embroidery trimmed, and two pairs of supporters. Models for medium and average figures. (Downstairs Store.)

**Darning Cotton, 3 Balls**  
BLACK and Tan Darning Cotton, in 45-yard balls. (Downstairs Store.)

**Powder Puffs, Each**  
WOOL Powder Puffs, various sizes, made with ribbon handles and come in sanitary envelopes. (Downstairs Store.)

**Baby Flouncings, Yd.**  
SHEER and heavy materials, daintily or heavily embroidered in attractive designs with embroidered or ruffle edge. (Downstairs Store.)

**Men's Handkerchiefs**  
CAMBRIC Handkerchiefs, of fine, soft quality, large size, with 1/2-inch hem-stitched hem. (Downstairs Store.)

**Saucepans, Each**  
HEAVY grade Enamelled Saucepans, light blue, triple coated, seamless. Choice of 3, 4 or 6 quart size, with cover. (Downstairs Store.)

**Suede Oxfords, Pair**  
WOMEN'S smart Gray Suede Oxfords, with covered high French heel and light, flexible soles. All sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

**Women's Petticoats**  
SEERSUCKER Petticoats, in blue or gray stripes. Made with sectional ruffle. (Downstairs Store.)

**Women's Stockings**  
FINE Gauge, Seamless Stockings, in black, white and colors, with double soles and high-spliced heels. Slightly irregular. (Downstairs Store.)

**Fiber Silk Socks**  
MEN'S good, heavy-weight Fiber Silk Socks, in black, white and colors, with double soles and high-spliced heels. Slightly irregular. (Downstairs Store.)

**Carpet Brooms, Each**  
GOOD Grade broom-corn has been used in their manufacture, well made and four sewed. (Fifth Floor.)

**Washboards, Each**  
FULL size, with heavy blue enameled washing surface. Come in the soap-saving style. (Fifth Floor.)

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COMFORTABLE Folding Chairs, which add just to four different positions. Heavy canvas seat and back. Hardwood frame. (Sixth Floor.)

**Mixed Paints, Quart**  
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**Soap Flakes, 3 Pkgs.**  
"CRYSTAL WHITE" Soap Flakes—a pure soap for washing dainty pieces of wearing apparel, silks, etc. (Fifth Floor.)

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**Chambray Rompers**  
A BLENDING of blue chambray, made with collar and belt. Sizes 2 to 6 years. (Downstairs Store.)

**Jap Silks, Yard**  
SILK-AND-LISLE fabric, in solid white, pink, blue and other shades. (Downstairs Store.)

**Cambric Muslins, Yd.**  
BLEACHED Cambric Muslins, made with a soft finish, and 36 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

**Black Serges, Yard**  
WOOL French Storm Serges, in correct weight for dresses and skirts. 36 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

**Dress Sateen, Yd.**  
MERCERIZED Sateen in solid fast black. (Downstairs Store.)

**Muslin or Longcloth**  
SOFT - FINISHED Bleached Muslin and Longcloth. 30 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

**Dress Gingham, Yd.**  
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**Wash Satin, Yard**  
EXCEPTIONAL quality Wash Satin, in ivory and flesh color, for outer garments and undergarments. 36 inches wide. (Downstairs Store.)

**Men's Blue Shirts**  
BLUE Chambray Shirts, made with collar and tached. Also some in tan shade. (Downstairs Store.)

**Men's Percal Shirts**  
NEAT assortment of patterns. Made with laundered cuffs. Sizes 14 to 16. (Downstairs Store.)

**Women's Union Suits**  
FINE, gauzy Union Suits, in pink. Sleeveless style, with tubular top and cuff knee. (Downstairs Store.)

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## The May Sale of Curtains and Rugs

DURING Spring cleaning you will probably find that you need several pairs of new Curtains and a few Rugs—so this sale comes at an opportune time. The special prices offer such great savings that it is decidedly to your advantage to buy now.

Several Groups of Excellent Curtain Values

At, a Pair, \$3.55

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Comprising Marie Antoinette, Mercerized Voile, in motif styles—Filet Scotch and Cable Nets, Filet Marquissettes, in white, ivory and beige—suitable for any room.

Comprising Renaissance and Arabian Curtains, fine English Cable and Scotch Net Curtains, in a varied assortment of styles for living-rooms and dining-rooms. White, ivory and beige.

Comprising Marie Antoinette, Mercerized Drawnwork Motif Marquissette and Voile, extra fine Cable Net and Scotch Net Curtains—in ivory, white and beige.

Comprising Lacet Arabian and Cluny Curtains—mounted on net that will give splendid service—also highly mercerized Motif Voile Curtains.

5000 yards of Cretonnes have arrived in time to be features of the May Sale. They are discontinued patterns of prominent mills. Divided into two feature groups:

25c Yard

50c Yard

Draperies Cretonnes in a most varied assortment of desirable patterns—in light and dark effects. Practical to use in all rooms.



## Picturesque Situation in Bavaria With the Working Men Carrying the Guns

Correspondent in Delayed Dispatches Describes Proletariat Uprising and Gives Interview With Savant of Yesterday.

By Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

BERLIN, Wednesday, April 24.—This dispatch was written in Munich, Bavaria, on April 19, but was not sent by the post office. The story of Germany today lies in a single phrase—workingmen with guns. The correspondent has made his way through Bavaria, Wurtemberg, Saxony and the Rhineland. Stunted little peasants, with blinking eyes, carrying guns, ragged-looking, unsmiling creatures, out of engine room and mine depths, sauntering through the streets of Essen, Oelsburg, Munich—cocking their eyes at palaces, holding their heads high—everywhere expressionless faces of folk who have known misery, nothing about with guns slung over their shoulders.

Here in Munich today Bolshevism reigns undisturbed. The workingmen with the gun is the cock of the walk. The workingman with the gun lounges in the plush seats of the famous hotels, where once the Bavarian elite played a languid monochrome upon life. Playboy Munich has vanished, even the revolutionary playboy is gone. The political grotesques are gone, the garrulous idealists have vanished from the seats of the new Government and the little schoolmasters, cafe poets and expansive egos, who for a few days fawned themselves the consecrated leaders of a great ideal, are on longer on the scene. Red guard patrol trucks laden with workingmen carrying guns career through the streets all day and all night.

Beginning with the dawn the streets are jammed with curbstone soviet parliaments. Groups of peasants and factory workers—they stand talking, talking. Their wives and children stand beside them listening in awe to their fathers' sudden oratorical process or pulling impatiently at their sleeves. Occasionally an airplane appears over the city, whereupon the father unlimbers his gun and starts popping away. Guns start from every street corner and workingmen dart out of the wine shops. The zoologist, Max Leven, dashes from the Wittelsbach Palace to superintend the anti-aircraft attack. Little clouds of paper zigzag down from the escaping plane and hundreds of Bolsheviks are busy for an hour removing the anti-Bolshevik propaganda leaflets from the streets through which they have been scattered.

"Young Blood" Snipers. Occasionally another variety of excitement arrests the attention of the strolling thousands. A closed automobile crowded with "young bloods" scoots through the city with guns blazing out of the windows at the red patrols. Ever and anon a volley of rifle shots cuts loose at the red guard workingmen holding the railroad station. As a result of these sniping attacks, all the automobiles have been confiscated by the soviet government.

Women and children are waiting for the first train to take them out of the city. No trains have come yet. The families have brought bedding and food to the station, and its neighborhood and for blocks around the scene resembles a refugee camp. While Munich itself is apparently standing still, a Red Guard army composed almost entirely of workingmen is laying siege to adjoining cities.

Yesterday Bachau and Ingolstadt fell into the hands of the Bolsheviks. Comrade Toller, now the Trotsky of Bavaria, instead of the Lenin, led the attack in person, and after a "great victory," composed a poem for celebrating the proletarian triumph, which he allowed the correspondent to read. Comrade Toller may be a great political Messiah, but he is distinctly an inferior poet.

One of the most startling procedures of the new Government is the amazing frequency of arrests. An automobile loaded with marines—the grinning, swaggering marine as elsewhere in Germany, is a footloose and fancy-free revolutionary vagabond—arrives in front of the hotel entrance every other minute. The marine guard enters the hotel and within a short space reappears with a bewildered and trembling burglar in the midst of the sailors.

Scores of Arrests. Owing to the general political confusion, scores of soviet leaders have themselves been arrested. Last night a youth who is one of the most violent communists in Munich was plucked from the correspondent's side while predicting the success of the world revolution, and was marched off to the Wittelsbach palace. A mistake had been made. Next the correspondent was placed under custody. The arrival of Dictator Leven saved him from being marched off to the omnipotent tribunal and tried for he don't know what.

Despite these ludicrous errors and general confusion, there is an order in the city. There is no plundering and no shooting down of burglars. No shop windows have been broken and no shops looted. The workingmen with guns are keeping order. Workingmen sit in the Wittelsbach palace perspiring over economic problems which would stagger Prof. Lujo Brentano himself. Will it last? Will the soviet of Munich survive? In the cafes the burglers sit asking each other these questions. They no longer laugh at the "tribe of long-haired dilettantes." They have even stopped calling names and have left off assuring each other that "hanging is too good for the pack of them." They exchange chastened whispers. "Where is it all leading to? What will hap-

pen next?" They gather in well-dressed groups about the red and yellow placards which blossom luxuriantly on the walls and fences. These placards are amusingly intelligible. They are written by workingmen. They announce that an inventory of all the shops is now being taken and that the huge stores of food hoarded in bourgeois basements are being confiscated and distributed equally among the entire population.

Under the original Independent Socialist Soviet regime these placards were received with smiles. There were no workingmen with guns then. The soviet republic was protected by the soldiers of the garrison and what several dozen bourgeois leaders told me would happen happened. The garrison at the first opportunity turned upon the soviet and declared the new republic at an end. But the bourgeoisie had overlooked a great fact. They had forgotten that Germany's real soldiers—soldiers who stood their ground for four and a half years against the world's troops—were not bumbling around the garrisons selling their services to the highest bidder. One night Munich's guard was overturned and the soviet republic re-established. The correspondent then understood for the first time what had become of Germany's invincible army. It had gone back to work. On that night it came pouring out of the workingmen's cottages in the factory districts and on the little farms. It swept the South Bavarian white guard out of existence.

Not Gleaning-Eyed Men. The Bavarian situation today is picturesque and uncertain. The Bolshevik movement in Bavaria may suffer a momentary eclipse. Her Noske's army may come in and make

a cleanup and the Hoffmann regime may return, but the workingmen with guns will remain. If America thinks that the Soviet movement in Germany is an outbreak of licensed criminalism—barren and women are fighting while the red guards are a pack of gleaming-eyed plunderers—America is operating upon a dangerous error. The correspondent offers no Bolshevik hailho here, but in Berlin he saw carpenters, bootblacks and bricklayers lying on their stomachs behind barricades of dry goods boxes and dead horses. He watched them prodding over the roof tops and stalking behind chimneys. He saw them in the Ruhr district, in Düsseldorf and in the little villages adjoining the great Westphalian coal mines—grimy, unsmiling and blinking-eyed miners. And because he had seen them he knows that calling names will not stop them, that bullets will not halt them, and that laws will not suppress them. What is now happening in Munich is the shadow of what the future holds for Germany—the workingman with a gun.

Interview With Brentano. An earlier-laid dispatch from the correspondent said:

The correspondent listened to Prof. Lujo Brentano explain the Bavarian revolution, explain Munich, explain Russia and explain the chaotic vibrations in the human race from Vladivostok to Key West. Dr. Brentano is the presiding elder of the German supermen. Before the war he was a benevolent old professor who probably knew more about German finance, economics and resources than any ten of his contemporaries around the Kaiser. Before the war Prof. Brentano could tell to the square inch the extent of the German coal regions, outline the exact output of German grains and forecast to a certainty the exact industrial development of the fatherland. He sat that adventurous day in Munich a white-haired old man in a white woolen cloak, chuckling merrily into his beard. As he explained things, he looked at the Goebels tapestries surrounding him and stared at the exquisite bric-a-brac on the shelves and at the fine old volumes glowing from open cases. And that he was a dilettante was wrong. The next day disproved it. What he said of Bavaria was wrong, events disproving it. A sparkling brew of wisdom, it was

phrased as only a German professor can phrase such things—keen, humorous, persuasive. Brentano in Germany is a new type—yesterday's savant.

For three months the correspondent has been listening to the savants of yesterday. Their chief occupation at present is to argue everybody who will listen into the belief that there is no political Bolshevism in Germany. In an interview, Prof. Brentano, on April 9, said:

"There is no mass movement in Germany. What you see here in Munich is only the frothing of shiftless intellectuals who have nothing to do with the masses. German workers are not Bolsheviks. The great ideal of German workers is order. Each nation has its religion. The English have equality. The Germans have order. Bolshevism is the debris of Socialism. The Germans are no longer inspired by ideals, but are vibrating in a neurotic state."

And 12 hours later the correspondent saw 70,000 workingmen from Munich and the surrounding territory marching through the city, singing proletarian hymns, shouting soviet battle cries and establishing the Bavarian soviet republic.

Munich Intermezzo. "This is Munich, intermezzo," Prof. Brentano went on, "will play itself out in less than a week. The old Hoffmann Government will sweep through Bavaria and re-establish order in a few days."

More than two weeks have passed. The soviet republic is steadily growing stronger, while the Hoffmann regime is hanging on by its eyebrows.

This Munich is a third-rate post and dilettante," continued the professor. "They are all dilettantes—children playing with Germany's empty factories and Germany's broken furniture. They know as much about conducting a Government as do about playing Hamlet."

Yesterday's savant was measuring the chaotic present with yesterday's little old economic yardstick. Munich is full of them. Germany teems with them—owls of the past hooting dolefully and meaninglessly in the crisis of today. They flourish one sinister weapon—the word dilettante. With it they slay from sunrise to sunset everybody from Lenin to Mulsam—everybody not recognized as a distinctive specialist in

German science. The correspondent and Brentano talked for an hour in Brentano's study about the errors of the Entente and the resulting European chaos about ships, food, blockades, T-boats and civilizations. There was nothing new in the talk. There were no suggestions of reforms which might avert the Bolshevik crisis facing Germany of the political or economic changes necessary. The 491,000 miners striking in the Ruhr district, the 90,000 South Bavarian workingmen organized into a red army, the 75,000 peasants and workmen in Saxony preparing to proclaim a soviet, the Russian republic, the Hungarian republic—these did not exist for Lujo Brentano. Germany's one true master command brain was interred in the textbooks of 1913.

"There is no mass movement," went on Dr. Brentano, as the guns of the workingmen started barking up and down the streets of Munich." (Copyright, 1919, by the Chicago Daily News.)

German Secretary Expelled. STOCKHOLM, April 28.—On the demand of the allies, the Finnish Government has expelled the Secretary of the German Legation at Helsinki, according to a dispatch from that city.



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## This Is Lace and Embroidery Week

at Vandervoort's  
It's a National Event

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DESIGNERS here, as in Paris, have been striving to outdo each other in their efforts to give to women the most exquisite creations in gowns and blouses, lacy things which are daintily feminine.

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Novelty Laces in Chantilly, Margot, Embroidered Net, Princess and many others—18, 27 and 40 inches wide—in white, cream and ecru, the yard, \$1.25, \$1.95, \$3.95

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Real Filet Picot Lace—that effective edging for blouses and frocks, 39c

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Real Filet Laces up to 8 inches wide, in edges and insertings—the yard, 25c to \$3.95

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Platt Val. Laces, 4 to 6 inches wide, specially priced at, the yard, 25c

Linen finish Cluny and Filet Lace—effective and durable, the yard, 10c to 50c

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Beautiful Net Top Laces, in white, cream and ecru—priced, the yard, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

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Real Filet Net, 36 inches wide, for blouses and collar and cuff sets, the yard, \$8.50

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Colored Margot Laces in rose, blue and orchid, 22 and 40 inches wide, at, the yard, \$2.25 and \$3.75

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# SOCIETY, DRAMA and MOVIES

## SOCIETY WILL STREW FLOWERS FOR SOLDIERS

Junior League Members in Four Trucks Will Carpet Streets With Blossoms Along Line of March.

THE St. Louis returning heroes are to literally make their homecoming march over a carpet of flowers, and flowers of any kind, lilies, snowballs, iris and any other variety, are being asked for tomorrow by the St. Louis Women's Victory Loan Committee, of which Mrs. John H. Holliday is chairman.

Four big automobiles will be stationed tomorrow morning from 8 until 9 o'clock at the following places, Grand and Shendoah, Grand and Lindell, Grand and Herbert and Lindell and King's ways. All the flowers will be loaded in the trucks, which will then lead the "welcome parade" on the arrival of the soldiers. The trucks will be filled with members of the Junior League, who have volunteered to help the Women's Loan Committee and will strew flowers along the line of march through the court of honor.

Among the prominent Junior League members, who will do "flower girls" tomorrow are: Mrs. Hayward Niedringhaus, Mrs. Stuart Sweeney, Misses Harriet Urie, Mary Kent, Henrietta Davis, Annie Laurie Warrack, Misses Shapleigh, Elizabeth Kennard, Irwin Hayward, Anne Black, Julia Papin, Mary D. Jones, Doris Drummond, Jane Bemis, Mary Frances Joy, Grace Taylor, Lila Cagen, Ellen Lee Hoffman, Caroline Tyler, Frances Carter, Elizabeth Edgar.

## Social Items

Mrs. J. D. Perry Francis of 4510 Maryland avenue was hostess today at an informal luncheon at the Log Cabin Club in honor of Mrs. Everett W. Little of New York, who will depart Wednesday for her home after a 10 days' visit to her father, J. Charles Cabanne, and her sister, Mrs. J. Sheppard Smith of 4334 Westminster place. Shapleigh, Elizabeth Kennard, Irwin Hayward, Anne Black, Julia Papin, Mary D. Jones, Doris Drummond, Jane Bemis, Mary Frances Joy, Grace Taylor, Lila Cagen, Ellen Lee Hoffman, Caroline Tyler, Frances Carter, Elizabeth Edgar.

Miss Margaret Shapleigh of 4950 Pershing avenue entertained for eight guests last Wednesday at the Bellevue Club with a luncheon followed by bridge.

Miss Sophie L. Moffitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel L. Moffitt of 48 Kingsbury place, departed last Wednesday for a visit in Chicago.

An honor which has recently been conferred upon a St. Louis woman is the appointment of Mrs. Charles A. Houts in charge of the Women's Department of the War Savings Organization, which appointment was made by L. A. Wilson, Government director of the organization for the Eighth Federal Reserve District. This is an honor justly deserved by Mrs. Houts in recognition of her efficient service, not only in various branches of war relief work, but also in all civic and welfare betterment. Mrs. Houts' new duties will consist of acting in the capacity of a thrift missionary to spread the gospel of savings and careful economy among women's clubs and organizations and womenkind in general.

Mrs. Fidelio C. Sharp of the Claymont road entertained informally at tea this afternoon for her niece Miss Eleanor Cozens of 5018 Washington boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Lombert have sold their home, 6470 Forsyth boulevard to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Stix who will take possession of it August 1, when Mr. and Mrs. Lombert expect to take apartments at the Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore G. Barrow of 5323 Pershing avenue have returned from a few days' visit to Chicago.

The Misses Tausig of 3501 Lafayette avenue and their brother, J. Clarence Tausig, will give up their home in a short while and will take possession of an apartment in the Deanshire, 4 North King's highway.

Miss Margaret Culver of 40 Washington terrace departed last week for a visit in New York City.

Mrs. Thornton P. Boland of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Mabley of 3013 Hawthorne boulevard.

Miss Alice Giraldo of the Oxford apartments, who has been visiting at Atlantic City, has returned home and has as her guest, Miss Margaret Mill of Kansas City.

Miss Mary Alice Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Francis Murphy of 323 Maple avenue, who is a student at Immaculate Seminary, Washington, D. C., spent the Easter vacation in New York City and met her brother, Corp. Frank Murphy, who arrived there last week with the 40th Ammunition Train.

Efficient office workers are secured use of Post-Dispatch WANTS.

## TO DIRECT FEDERAL THRIFT CAMPAIGNS



Mrs. Charles A. Houts.

## "CRY OF THE WEAK" A FINE FILM PLAY

Fannie Ward at Her Best in Different Role of Deep Emotionalism.

A film play far above the average in merit is "The Cry of the Weak," which opened yesterday at the West End Lyric Theater, with Fannie Ward in the leading role. The plot is unusually good and the star is at her best in the part. The story is a sincere manner in which she carries her part. Paul Willis, a young actor, also does exceptionally good work as the heroine's wayward brother. The story concerns a District Attorney, his wife and an elderly Judge. The Judge contends that there is some good even in the worst criminal. The District Attorney believes that the law at its harshest is not too severe. The wife argues that proper surroundings will reform most of the malefactors. Right after the discussion two burglars break into the Judge's home. The Judge is shot. One of the criminals jumps out of the window; the other escapes and takes refuge in the District Attorney's home. As he rushes in, the wife, who is alone, recognizes him as her brother.

Then come several tense reels, during which the wife tries to protect the boy from the police. She catches him and, under the supervision of her husband, give him the third degree. In order to save the boy from actual torture, the wife is obliged to confess their relationship. She pleads with her husband to give him a chance to go straight. He finally agrees, and the end of the picture finds the boy headed for an honest and useful life.

At Downtown Theaters. At the Columbia the week's bill is Mabel Normand in "The Pest." Mae Murray in "Am I Did" a north woods story, is the leading feature. Evelyn Nesbit in "Thou Shalt Not" has first place on the program at the Central.

## POLICE RELIEF ASSOCIATION'S TWO WEEKS' SHOW BEGINS

Members of the Force Take Part and There Will Be Change of Bill Next Week.

The Police Relief Association's 1919 benefit vaudeville show opened at the Odeon last night and will continue for two weeks, with a change of bill next week. It was estimated that 1600 witnessed the initial program.

Several members of the Police Department appear on this week's bill. Patrolman McLeod and three members of his family present a comedy sketch, and the Police Quartet give up-to-date songs. Johnny Adams, a local singer, is one of the top liners. An educated horse also is featured this week.

The Police Relief Association furnishes life insurance for members of the force who, on account of their hazardous calling, are barred from participation in many forms of regular life insurance. It also furnishes financial relief for police who are kept away from their work by illness.

## TWO GOOD FILMS AT THE PERSHING

Constance Talmadge and the Late Harold Lockwood Are Featured.

A double bill opened at the Pershing Theater yesterday, the features being Constance Talmadge in "Romance and Arabella" and the late Harold Lockwood in "A Man of Honor."

Miss Talmadge varies the usual line of her screen roles by playing the part of a charming widow who is so seductively sought after that many complications arise.

The Lockwood play is a variation of the situation in which a man thinks he is a coward, but proves himself a hero when occasion calls for heroic action. He thinks he is "crooked" but when he is put to the test his conscience saves him. A Harold Lloyd comedy also is on the bill.

## "THE BETTER 'OLE' IS BEST OF ALL WAR PLAYS

De Wolf Hopper Finds Congenial Role as Capt. Bairnsfather's Old Bill.

A species of monster, hirsute, streaked with mud, huge of frame, enormous of nose, piglike of face, with sea-lion mustaches that blue and all of the way when a glass of beer was to be drained or a chaste salute bestowed upon a French demagogue, rolled upon the stage of the American Theater last night, and proceeded to troll forth a song in a voice that would excite diffidence in a forghorn.

It was Old Bill himself, materialized out of the famous "The Sign Invisible." A brutal trader embodied in perfect replica by the make-up, voice, figure and acting of De Wolf Hopper. With him were his hound-fellows, philanthropic Bert and Alf, of the innocent baby-blue stare. To the French girls of the estimators they were "Les Trois Mousquetaires," which Old Bill translated into "the three musketeers." They were the hof and soul of the play, "The Better 'Ole," dramatized from the cartoons by Capt. Bairnsfather and Capt. Arthur Elliot, with musical interpolations by Herman Darewski and Percival Knapp. The signing of the armistice clapped down upon numerous war plays like the crack of doom. Designated as propaganda, they dropped dead the moment that need for propaganda ceased and he. Not so "The Better 'Ole." The vogue of the Bairnsfather cartoons was due to the alchemy by which they were able to extract humor and humanity from the refractory compounds of horror and hatred, during the war. These qualities remain as fresh today as they were two years ago, and there was a large, well-pleased audience last night to prove it.

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Grace of Norma Talmadge and Art of Tully Marshall Re-deem It.

"The Devil's Needle" has a hellish plot, but, somehow, the refined grace of Norma Talmadge and the mastery of Tully Marshall lift it from the depths of morbidity and place it on a high scale of art. It is an exploitation of the vice that the Harrison anti-farce law was created to exterminate. However, regardless of the fact that some of the scenes seem to call for a raise in the police morality squad, the picture, as a whole, cannot be classed as too lurid melodrama. The picture bears the old Triana label.

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Douglas Fairbanks, in a Victory Loan sketch called "Knockers," acting the part of Democracy, knocks disension and Prussianism into a cocked hat in truly comic, a Christy comedy, a Liberty pictorial, a scenic picture and the Liberty Symphony Orchestra make up an exceptionally good bill.

## "LET'S ELOPE" FLIRTATIOUS ROLE FOR MARGUERITE CLARK

The harmless flirtation of the young wife who feels neglected by her husband for his business is the theme of an amusing film, "Let's Elope" at the Kings theater this week. That Marguerite Clark is in the young wife may be expected to add to the pleasure of the production and does.

The story is that of Fred Wilson's successful play, "The Wife." Wilson convinces herself that a shallow-brained youth has an honest intention for her and that husband loves his business not her. Husband, when he learns the trend of things, steps in and displays love efficiency of the same caliber as his business efficiency.

Vanish Trouble. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew present "An Amateur Liar," a film of unalloyed delight to husbands. This particular husband tells the purport of white lie in order to save his wife's feelings. The lie grows amazingly more than a dozen and husband soon is in hot water. Fortunately, the common sense tempers the situation and the results are not disastrous—a happy comedy of truly Drew standard.

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love to every girl he meets and presenting to each, as a favor he would do to other girl in the world, one of his pocketful of identification disks, was responsible for much of the fun. Surely the most feebly voiced chorus on the stage was the band of girl war workers. The music, dances and choruses might be omitted with little regret, save the song in which Hopper, frankly enumerating the physical charms of his "missus," is still convinced that "she's the Venus de Milo to me."

## MITCHELL LEWIS STARS IN CANADIAN DRAMA

"The Sign Invisible" Has Strong Religious Motive and Much Action.

A drama of the Canadian wilds, with a strong religious motive running through its plot, is "The Sign Invisible," which opened at the New Grand Central yesterday. Mitchell Lewis, a Lone Deer, a giant half-breed, has the leading part. He is the humble agency through whom Dr. Winston is won back from atheism. The doctor has been embittered by the fact that his mother died after an operation which he had performed and he goes to the tall timbers, saying in his heart there is no God.

There he meets the fair Jeanette, a minister's daughter, who tries to reclaim him. A brutal trader affronts the young woman and is beaten by Lone Deer, who in the light is so injured that his eyesight is threatened. The manhood of Dr. Winston is proclaimed when he has an opportunity to perform an operation which saves Lone Deer's life.

On the bill also are "The Amateur Liar," a Sidney Drew comedy, and "An Outing-Chester," travel picture, showing views of Lake Itasca, near the source of the Mississippi River.

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## MANY ST. LOUISANS AMONG MEN WHO LANDED YESTERDAY

Three Vessels Brought Members of the 35th and Rainbow Divisions to Newport News.

### MACHINE GUNNERS OF OLD 2ND RETURN

St. Louis Personnel of 110th Supply Train Largely the Same as When It Left Country.

By CLAIR KENAMORE.  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 28.—Another contingent of the Thirty-fifth Division and Missouri's own representative unit in the Rainbow Division, the 117th Field Signal Battalion, were among the troops which made up the 8300 who arrived here yesterday from France on three transports, the Princess Matoika, the Antigon and the South Carolina, the last named a converted battleship.

Of the 3153 officers and enlisted men on the Antigon, all but 85 conscripts were members of the Thirty-fifth Division. The units on the Antigon were the 129th and 130th Machine Gun Battalions complete, the 110th Sanitary Train, including field hospitals 157, 138, 139 and 140 and Ambulance Companies 157, 138, 139 and 140. The 117th Field Signal Battalion, including its small but effective pigeon section, and a small detachment of 25 men from the 137th, 139th and 140th Infantry. Every one of these units took part in the Argonne offensive, and several men wear decorations.

#### High Honors for Signal Men.

The 117th Field Signal Battalion, which was originally organized in Kansas City, now has many replacements from other states, but its commander, Maj. Richard T. Smith, is from Kansas City. This unit claims the distinction of having received more decorations and citations than any other signal corps battalion. Mrs. Maude Radford Warren, the honorary major of the battalion, met the South Carolina while it was steaming up Hampton Roads, and she received a rousing chorus of welcome from the boys of her battalion. With the 17th Field Signal Battalion on the South Carolina were several casual companies and Evacuation Hospital 6.

The Princess Matoika brought in the 110th Supply Train, the Sixty-ninth Brigade Headquarters and the motor transport administrative company, all three being part of the Thirty-fifth Division. The First Battalion of the 346th Infantry, which was a depot regiment, Base Hospitals 1, 9, 17, 52, 58, 67 and 68. The men in these commands were among the first to go overseas, and most of them were two or three gold stripes. Mobile Hospital 1, with Unit K of Council Bluffs, Ia., also returned on the Matoika with a record of two citations. The other organizations on the Princess Matoika were Evacuation Hospital Units 1, 2 and 4, and three casual companies.

Burned and tanned by the sun of France and bronzed by the Atlantic sea winds, the Missourians, and Kansans looked fit and proper soldiers as they filed off the boats and formed for the march to camp. There is a frankness and openness about the mid-westerners which identifies them even here where men from all over the country land from France. They carry their souvenirs openly, German helmets and capelines obviously tied to their packs or in their hands. They exult that they are back home again, and they do it so that all men may hear. They like to stamp the ground when they first step off the wharf, and say "boy, that's the ground," one lad, clinking perilously to the shoulders of the Antigon today, yelled, "vive la Amerique," this saluting at once his loyalty and his French.

Some of them tried to look grim and soldierly as they marched ashore, but few could keep back the wistful smile, and when they spoke at first, their speech was thick and gurgly.

Some of Men Bring Dogs. Many of the machine gunners and acquired dogs, after the manner of us South Missourians. There had been violent riots against taking dogs aboard the ship, so not more than a dozen had been got on. One of these, a most unprepossessing mixture of many hunting strains named "Sooner" was put off the ship four times, and finally was taken aboard by being tied in a sack to which one end of a heaving line was thrown from the ship, was tied. Sooner was pulled off the pier, trailed through the water and pulled up the side of the ship. Every man with a dog had a pass on the pier here to try and work his dog through quarantine. There were four police dog puppies carried in musette bags.

Among the units which landed was the 110th Motor Transport Corps, Companies A, B, C and D of which were organized in St. Louis. Major Faught, who commanded it until after the armistice was not with it, having gone to a hospital and been sent to another unit after recovering. It was commanded by Capt. Wright. The enlisted men personnel is almost entirely the same as when it left St. Louis, and it is in excellent shape.

The men in the 117th Field Signal

Battalion marched to Camp Morrison. The men came originally from Kansas City, Independence and Springfield, Mo.

Before the South Carolina had unloaded, the big transport Antigon had tied up on the other side of the pier, and over the stages came streams of South Missourians, once the Second, Missouri and now the 129th and 130th Machine Gun Battalions. For some reason, probably because the replacements have been so numerous, the men do not seem to average as big as they used to in the days when the Second was the best regiment in the Missouri National Guard.

The machine gunners seem to me to have deeper lines on their faces and a more set and serious look than men of the other regiments. Their officers, who have watched the men day by day, cannot see this change. A machine gunner's place in battle is a desperate one, and these men seem to me to bear in their countenances the impress of those five days in the Argonne.

#### Soon Playing Baseball.

Most of the returning soldiers went to Camp Stuart, and so fast did the delousing work and so accustomed are the men to taking up new billets that in the afternoon some of the pitchers were working the creases out of their throwing arms. The most of the men, however, seemed to be buying ice cream and cakes from the vendors at the gates of the camp. They surely are a blase lot of men now. An aviator was doing stunts over the camp. The few men who took time to watch him did it with a cold and critical eye, and with no applause. It requires something fine and classy in flying now to excite these doughboys. They have watched the pick of the world fight in the sky.

Six men go passes to go into Newport News. Outside the gate they invested 25 cents apiece in red chevrons with pin hooks in the ends, which can be quickly adjusted to the sleeve and as quickly taken off. These chevrons testify that the man wearing one has been discharged from the army. The salesman told them that without it a man in uniform could not buy a drink. The driver of the service car who took them to town verified this. "You

sure can't buy a drink without one," he said. In Newport News they made the sad discovery the whole State of Virginia is dry as a bone. Officers in charge of entraining troops hope to get the three machine gun battalions out of here by Wednesday. They will parade in Joplin and Carthage.

Champ Clark, former Speaker of the House, accompanied by his son, Lieutenant-Colonel Bennett Clark, who previously had arrived with other Missouri troops, welcomed the Missouri men.

Some of Returning St. Louisans. Returning St. Louisans were:

On the Antigon with the 110th Sanitary Train, Capt. Benjamin Hanson, 6602 Alabama avenue, commanding the medical supply detachment.

With Field Hospital 157, William H. Henton, 5223 Delmar boulevard.

With Field Hospital 138, Maj. William W. Gilbert, 4621A Greer avenue, commanding.

Sergeant Chester O. Speckelmeyer, 4867 Cote Brilliante.

With Ambulance Co. 137, Manuel Kowalsky, 5620 Cates avenue.

With Ambulance Co. 138, First Lieut. Walter L. Barbour, 5007 Waterman avenue; Paul M. Brown, 3926 Hereford street; Henry H. Hoffmann, 8610 Water street; Charles J. Gattlett, 7433 Hazel avenue; Church J. H. Brown, 5230 Cabanne avenue; Joseph G. Halpin, 5361 Goodfellow place.

With Ambulance Co. 140, Sergeant A. Pritchard, 6437 Alabama avenue; Eli A. Pastelnick, 2915 Gamble street.

With the Pigeon Section, Sergeant Carl H. Sass, 5078 Minerva avenue; Corp. Joseph J. Gerken, 3206 Vista avenue.

With the 110th Field Signal Battalion, Medical Department, John Dittmar, 2641 Allen avenue. With the Supply Section, Sergeant Paul Jones Jr., 5450 Delmar boulevard; George P. Brown, 4410 Evans avenue; H. E. Young, 5515 Waterman avenue. With Company A, Henry E. Steffens, 5924 Natural Bridge avenue. With Company B, Corp. Walter H. Sass, 5078 Minerva avenue; Corp. James W. Stultz, 4128 Flad avenue. With Company C, Master Engineers William C. Henn, 810 Hickory street and William A. Greer, 4339 Washington boulevard; Corp.

Thomas A. Johnson, 3750 Finney avenue; Sergeant Leslie E. Gage, 5138 Garfield avenue; Louis Brown, 1110 North Nineteenth street; Sergeant William C. Thompson, 2518 Illinois avenue; Walter P. Dreher, 3641 Case avenue; Corp. William H. Anderson, 1325 Dillon street; Jules L. Monti, 1297 Oak Court; Thomas F. Sullivan, 5330 Garfield avenue; Corp. Raymond C. Ebling, 1322 Aubert avenue; Corp. Frederick H. Stenberg, 4216 Russell avenue; Guy B. Fields, 5204 Garfield avenue; Corp. James E. Parrell, 910 La Salle street; Sergeant Richard J. Sartorius, 831 Russell avenue; Corp. Howard P. Werner, 3812 Sullivan avenue.

With the 130th Machine Gun Battalion, Company A, Emil L. Wassmund, 1829 Elliott street; With Company S, Sergeant Ewing C. Green, 2812 Laclede avenue; Corp. Joseph W. McKinley, 2022 King's highway.

East St. Louis; Charles T. Druce, 5877 Romaine place. With Company D, Sergeant Roy Grove, 711 North Ninth street, East St. Louis; Corp. Clarence Layman, 8039A South Broadway.

With the 129th Machine Gun Battalion, Robert R. Seaton, 2632 South Seventh street; Corp. Adam E. Nikoleunski, 1817 Hogan street; Howard H. Talgrader, 3211 North Twenty-first street. With Company B, Geo. Badock, 7410 Oakland avenue. With Company C, Harry Goldblume, 5157 Page boulevard; Roy A. Krueger, 5951 Garfield avenue; Sergeant Fern Odle, 1521 Exchange avenue. With Company D, Arthur Rettig, 202 South Grand avenue; Fred Sherman, 2833 South Thirtieth street; Everett L. Wilson, 1504 Tower Grove avenue; Rob. Smith, 1324 Boyle avenue.

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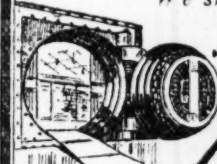
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17th Field Signal Battalion, Company A, Sgt. Benjamin F. Riggins, 5647 Clemens avenue; George W. Wulff, 4266 Russell avenue; With Company C, Sgt. Phil C. Gerber, 2338 Sullivan avenue; Sgt. Charles N. Brown, 1700 Baugh avenue; Pierre J. Pontal, 5337 Easton avenue.

With Casual Company 3402, Corp. Rudolph Dorek, 4747 Signal Corps Service Company, 4612 McPherson avenue; Corp. Edward L. Winderger, 3824 Juniata street; With "Casual Company 3408, Sgt. Roy J. Larkin, 530 St. Ann street.

On the Princess Matka, with the 110th Supply Train, headquarters: First Lieutenant Charles M. Marshall, 6629 Kingsbury avenue; Capt. Ray E. Seitz, 6630 Kingsbury avenue (attached); Sgt. James E. Hereford Jr., 315 Elizabeth avenue; Sgt. James D. Page, 115 Elizabeth avenue; Sgt. Orville V. Ruler, 6335 Waterman avenue.

With Company A, Sgt. Darius M. McHugh, 3210 St. Vincent avenue; Corp. Archibald C. Owen, 3672 Russell avenue; Corp. Harry R. Puck, 4116 Page boulevard; Walter C. Gutzmann, 837 Canaan avenue; Joe Ruessing Jr., 229 Chouteau avenue; Robert W. Covert, 2717 Glasgow avenue; Cornelius A. Rogers, 2706A Russell avenue; Corp. James M. Crouch, 4373 Delmar avenue; Chester J. Kerwin, 439 Olive street; Corp. James J. Gallagher, 1474A Laurel avenue; Corp. Fred Kassing Jr., 8522 Minnesota avenue; Corp. William O. Hays, 730 North Euclid; Sgt. William S. Sidentop, 3719 Madison street; Corp. Floyd W. McQuown, 2109 Washington avenue; Sgt. Oliver C. Hoge, 3620A Connecticut street; Corp. Troy Ferber, 6222 Michigan avenue; Otto J. Roehl, 3235 South Dakota avenue; Corp. Arthur J. Sarthal, 4440 Natural Bridge road; Sgt. Bernard H. Simon, 3825A Humphrey street; Stephen E. Pfeiffer, 1311 Market street; Christopher T. Odium, 5584 Kingsbury boulevard; Corp. Arthur O. Quensen, 2718 Minnesota avenue; Corp. John Kieran, 2715 Rutger street; Corp. Roland R. Ruitter, 4971 Flora boulevard; Corp. George Schworm, 2762A La Salle street; Corp. Albert J. Conners, 5940 Etzel avenue; Corp. Henry F. Doerfer, 3807 North Twenty-second street; Corp. Joseph S. Kennedy, 4115 Peck street; Corp. Hugo W. Prues, 3623 Theodosia avenue; James M. Weston, 1328 Walton avenue; Corp. Edward W. Davis, 4418 Gibson avenue; John H. Lang Jr., 3463 South Second street; Corp. James H. Ostrander, 5026 Birchler

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They Are Extensions of Work of Community Service Organization.

Two new supper clubs have been opened by the Community Service Organization, one at the Catholic Women's Association and the other at Wesley House Settlement. Both meet on Tuesday nights. The schedule of classes and clubs announced for the week by the organization and the home demonstration agents of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the University of Missouri in cooperation is as follows:

Monday—Cabanen Library, marketing, 2:30 p. m.

Tuesday—Demonstrations, food, 5:11 E. Esplanade street, 10:30 a. m.; Catholic Women's Association Supper Club, 505 North Seventh street, 5:30 p. m.; Greeley Memorial Church, 7:30 p. m.; Wesley House, Supper Club, 5:30 p. m.

Wednesday—District office, Provident association, food, 815 Mallinckrodt street, 10:30 a. m.; Adams School, clothing, 2 p. m.; Pestalozzi School, clothing, 8 p. m.

Thursday—District office, Provident Association, food, 3024 North Newstead avenue, 11 a. m.; Mt. Auburn Church, food, 2 p. m.; Kingdom

House, Supper Club, 5:30 p. m.; Christ Church Cathedral, clothing, 3 p. m.

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53d Anniversary Celebrated. The fifty-third anniversary of St. John Berchman's Acolythical Society of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Eleventh and Biddle streets, was celebrated by about 300 members yesterday. The members met at the

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## ONE WOMAN TO ANOTHER

By Mabel Gray

Miss Burton was busy writing at her desk when Anna Harding came into her office with another girl.

"This is Miss Draxton," she said. "I have talked to her about our work, and thought that you might want to take her for a few minutes."

Miss Burton laid aside her pen. "I shall be very glad to say a few words to Miss Draxton," she said, smiling pleasantly.

Some time later Anna Harding stood in Miss Burton's office as she was passing.

"What did you think of Miss Draxton?" she asked.

"Oh, I guess she would be able to do the work," replied Anna Harding. "But I will not have any girl in this office who has not a clean, wholesome freshness about her that Miss Draxton certainly has not. She should use Amolin."

"What is Amolin?" asked Anna Harding, with interest.

"It is a remarkable deodorant," replied Miss Burton. "Personally, I wouldn't be without it. I use it the very first thing after coming from the bath, sprinkling it in my clothes, and in fact, even keep a can of it in my desk drawer."

Amolin is the personal deodorant, antiseptic, healing and soothing, and containing no calcium. It is unscented, and can be purchased at all drug and department stores for 50c or for 40c for a double-size tin. Write the Amolin Company, 1001 N. J. for a free sample.

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Bishop Tuttle, in his address, told of the help which has been given by St. Peter's to other Episcopal churches and missions here, and to church benevolence in general. Dean Davis of Christ Church Cathedral and other visiting clergymen assisted the rector, Rev. Z. B. Phillips, in the service.



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## MAN FATALLY INJURED RUNNING FOR A CAR

Misjudges Distance and Is Hit When in Middle of Track—Dies in Hospital.

Adolph Hadorn, 34 years old, a butcher, 1018 Grattan street, was fatally injured by a Cherokee street car at 1 a. m. today when he tried to run across the tracks to signal the motorman to stop for him and Miss Olga Buerman, 3621 Folsom avenue, in front of 3724 Gravois avenue. His skull was fractured and he died shortly in the city hospital.

Miss Buerman told policemen who and Hadorn had spent the evening with friends on Gravois avenue and had, on starting home, decided to walk to Grand avenue to catch a car to take her to her home. They were walking east on the north side of the street, she said, when they heard an eastbound owl car on the Cherokee line approaching. Hadorn, she said, suggested they ride the rest of the way to Grand avenue and told her to hurry with him across the street.

When near the tracks, she said, Hadorn started to run in front of the car. He misjudged the distance apparently.

Motorman David L. Cook, 1819 California avenue, and Conductor Harry Fuller, 2706 Allen avenue, were not arrested, as policemen were told Hadorn ran directly in the path of the car at too short a distance for the motorman to get his car under control. Hadorn was employed by Swift & Co. in East St. Louis.

## 19 SOLDIERS ARRIVE IN ARMY HOSPITAL

Three of Sick and Wounded Are St. Louisans and Five From Elsewhere in State.

Nineteen wounded and sick soldiers arrived this morning at the United States Army General Hospital No. 40, at 5830 Arsenal street, for further convalescence. They were forwarded from a debarkation hospital at Hoboken, N. J. Three were St. Louisans and five reside elsewhere in Missouri.

The St. Louisans were: Corp. Frank L. Martin, D Company, 138th Infantry, 1227 Shawmut place.

Corp. Joseph W. Appleton, 54th Service Company, S. C., 4053 Kennerly avenue.

Private, Edward S. Kohn, Base Hospital No. 21, 5723 Kingsbury place.

Those from elsewhere in Missouri were: Mechanic Ralph E. Boyd, 35th Infantry, Carterville; Private Elmer Smith, 140th Infantry, Rosendale; Private Albert Pottska, 4th Infantry, Marcelline; Private Michael McDonald, 340th Infantry, Lexington; and Private Morris E. Brattin, 355th Infantry, Exeter.

From other states: Sergt. Harry V. Swinley, Ninth Field Signal Battalion, Baldwin City, Kan.; Private Edgar H. Hall, Veterinary Hospital No. 18, Denver, Colo.; Private George Vest Tussey, Motor Transport Corps, Chicago (sister, Miss Lula Tussey, resides at 4120 Shaw avenue, St. Louis); Private James H. Saylor, Fifty-ninth Infantry, Clayton, Ok.; Private James D. Avery, Thirty-ninth Infantry, Fort Gibson, Ok.; Private William B. Behn, 314th Engineers, Salida, Cal.; Private Joseph Hughes, 37th Infantry, Cameron, Ok.; Private Phylander Gleason, 351st Infantry, Fredonia, Kan.; Sergt. Elmer R. Ausamus, 353d Infantry, Cherokee, Kan.; Private Arthur Windsor, October, Automatic Replacement Draft, Tank Corps, Council Grove, Kan.; and Private Harry Douglas, 356th Infantry, Ashland, Ky.

Col. Horatio C. Heckett, Field Artillery, Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, and Corp. Trenton C. Hall, 28th Infantry, Warsaw, Mo., were registered at the hospital yesterday as new patients, although both had previously been registered there. They had been on furlough.

## PLEA TO VICTORY GARDENERS

Planting of More Vegetables to Offset Fruit Loss Urged.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—A plea to plant more vegetables to make up for the loss of fruit due to the recent cold wave was sent today to the victory gardeners of the country by the National War Garden Commission.

"With probable losses in fruit for canning," said President Pack of the commission, "victory gardeners must look ahead to next winter and plant more vegetables so the supply of food for canning may be increased."

The statement also called attention to the opening tomorrow in the northern states of the victory garden drive and stated reports to the commission show more acreage is being cultivated by communities and business concerns for employees this year than ever before.

## PAINTING AS TRIBUTE TO AMERICA

Our War Service Is Theme of Picture by English Woman.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 28.—America's war service is the theme of a picture just completed by one of this country's foremost women artists, Miss Margaret Lindsay Williams. It is to be shown at the Royal Academy. "An Empire's Tribute to the Flag of Stars" is the title of the picture. Britannia is depicted with the laurels of honor and victory clinging to her shield and her blood-stained sword laid down, kneeling on the eagle of militarism which lies dead, slain by many Powers. She is kissing the Flag of Stars—the symbol of aspirations—which is being held by a winged and olive-crowned figure of Peace, which has just alighted on the world.

Miss Williams as a pupil of Sargent won the Royal Academy's gold medal.

## MISSOURI MEMORIAL TREE

Special Tuesday—Carnations, Tulips and Snapdragons—25c per doz. Cash and carry. Grimm & Gory, Remember the boys.—Adv.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Col. Ross E. Burns of the Joplin Globe, who has been representing Gov. Glavin in welcoming Missouri troops, and was at Newport News yesterday, returned to New York this morning, and in the Governor's name will plant a memorial tree at Grant's Tomb for the guard of honor from the 138th Infantry who led a Liberty Loan parade in New York last year and who took part in the planting of last year's memorial tree.

Of the 20 men then in the guard, only five remain, and three of them have been badly wounded.

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**Congressional Delegation Returns.**

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 28.—A delegation from Congress which left here April 15 for Porto Rico to view the possibilities of the island becoming independent, returned today on the steamship Coamo from San Juan. Members of the party included Representatives Joseph Cannon and Claude Kitchin.

## 7 SAILORS SAID TO HAVE DROWNED IN HUDSON

Launch Capsizes When It Hits a Submerged Log—Several Men Rescued.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 28.—Thirteen sailors returning in a navy launch of the battleship Nevada were reported by the police to have been drowned when the launch sank in the Hudson River off 135th street early today.

The police said that in the absence of an official statement by the naval authorities they based the report on information from persons who said they witnessed the sinking and heard the cries of drowning sailors. These witnesses declared that the launch apparently collided with something just before reaching the Nevada and they had a clear view of what was taking place because of the navy searchlights playing on the scene.

There were 14 persons in the launch, one being rescued, according to police reports.

Sailors from the battleship Mississippi said the launch struck a submerged log, that they rescued one man, and that a crew from the Nevada rescued another. Four men were reported saved by other crews. It was learned the launch was from the destroyer Bell.

Navy officials promised to issue a statement as soon as an inquiry had been completed. Unofficially, it was declared that eight men were missing.

## FRENCH LABOR THANKS WILSON

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, April 28.—A delegation of members of the French Labor Federation presented to President Wilson an open letter signed by Secretary Laurent, expressing on behalf of the French workers an unreserved endorsement and an expression of

admiration for the President's action relative to the Fiume question which, the letter says, was "directed against imperialism and annexationism."

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2 Airmen Killed at Coblenz.

By the Associated Press.

COBLENZ, April 28.—Lieut. Charles Moore of Cortland, New York and E. F. Kroeg, of Northampton, Pa., were killed Saturday when an airplane in which they were riding fell near the Coblenz air-drome.

Special Lawn Mower Sale This Week.

Geller, Ward & Hanner Hdw. Co., 412-14 North Fourth st.—Adv.

Lansing Goes to Battleground.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, April 28.—Secretary of State Lansing and Ambassador Wallace left Paris Saturday night on a visit to the devastated regions of

France. They were accompanied by E. M. House.

APRIL 18 DIAMOND MONTH—Buy a Diamond on credit. Louis Bros., 532 1/2 floor, 208 N. Sixth st., open evenings.—Adv.

Takes Girls Up 16,400 Feet.

By the Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, O., April 28.—Lieut. Charles S. Miller, aviator, here with the "flying circus," with Misses Vinette Young and Mildred Young as passengers, yesterday reached an altitude of 16,400 feet. A report will be filed with the Aero Club of America, in the hope that it is a new altitude flight record for women.

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## HEAVY SNOW

Fall of 4 to 6 Inches.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, April 28.—A period of perfect weather, which had lasted for the last night, covering the time from four to six p.m. yesterday, was cut off in many districts by a heavy fall of snow. Communication is interrupted which received the storm, 5000 telephone calls were made.

Spring crops and were wrecked.

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## HEAVY SNOW IN ENGLAND

Fall of 4 to 6 inches follows perfect Spring Day.

LONDON, April 28.—Following a period of perfect spring weather, one of the worst storms in some time raged over the British Isles last night, covering the country with from four to six inches of snow. Telegraph and telephone lines suffered severely and communication is cut off in many directions from this city. Communication with the continent is interrupted. In this city, which received the brunt of the storm, 5000 telephones were put out of service.

Spring crops and young lambs suffered from the storm. Marine reports show that a few small ships were wrecked.

## BISHOP ANDERSON IN TURKEY

Issues Letter in Effort for Church Union.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Thursday, April 24.—The Right Rev. Charles Anderson, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Chicago, chairman of a commission of three prelates of that church which visited Rome and Athens in an effort to bring about a union of the Christian churches of the world, attended today an extraordinary session of the Patriarchate which was called to consider the invitation to a universal church congress.

Bishop Anderson has addressed a long letter to the Greek Patriarchate declaring that the churches if divided will be unable to stand against "organized anti-Christian forces."

## 17 AIR TROPHIES UP FOR CONTESTS IN MAY

Atlantic City Events Include Pulitzer Prize and \$25,000 for Crossing the Atlantic.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 28.—A total of 17 trophies and prizes, including the Pulitzer trophy, are to be competed for by aviators here beginning May 1.

Albert T. Bell, the president of the Aero Club of Atlantic City, was advised by Alan R. Hawley, president of the Aero Club of America, that the New York Herald has offered \$3000 in prizes for an aero efficiency contest, to be held at Atlantic City in May. There will be nine prizes, as follows:

A. Not more than 100 horsepower.  
B. Not less than 100 horsepower and not more than 200 horsepower.  
C. Not less than 200 horsepower and not more than 400 horsepower.  
D. Not less than 400 horsepower and not more than 600 horsepower.  
E. Not less than 600 horsepower and not more than 800 horsepower.  
F. Not less than 800 horsepower and not more than 1000 horsepower.  
G. Not less than 1000 horsepower and not more than 1500 horsepower.  
H. Not less than 1500 horsepower.  
I. One thousand dollars is to go to the aviator who covers the greatest distance in a nonstop country flight, starting from or ending at Atlantic City between May 1 and May 30, with an airplane of any horsepower, and \$250 to each of the aviators who cover the greatest distance in a nonstop flight, starting from or ending at Atlantic City between May 1 and May 30 with airplanes of above listed horsepower.

Prizes Now Listed.  
Among the prizes offered are the following:

1. The Pulitzer trophy, offered by Ralph, Joseph Jr. and Herbert Pulitzer, to be awarded to the aviator making the best record in flying from anywhere to Atlantic City or from Atlantic City to anywhere, in May.  
2. The Boston Globe trophy and \$1750 cash prizes to be awarded as follows: \$1000 and the trophy to the aviator who makes the best record in flying from Atlantic City to Boston, or from Boston to Atlantic City during the month of May, \$500 and \$250 to the aviators who make the second and third best records respectively.  
3. The Cleveland Plaindealer trophy and \$1750 cash prizes to be awarded as follows: \$1000 and the trophy to the aviator who makes the best record in flying from Atlantic City to Cleveland or from Cleveland to Atlantic City in May, \$500 and \$250 to the aviators who make the second and third best records respectively.

Detroit News Trophy.  
4. The Detroit News trophy and \$1750 cash prizes to be awarded as follows: \$1000 and the trophy to the aviator who makes the best record in flying from Atlantic City to Detroit or from Detroit to Atlantic City in May, \$500 and \$250 respectively to the aviators who make the second and third best records.

5. The Atlanta Journal prizes to be awarded to the three aviators who make the best record in flying from Atlanta, Ga., to Atlantic City carrying the Atlanta Journal.  
To the list of prizes offered for events during the Atlantic City Pan-American aeronautic convention and exhibition was added a prize of \$25,000 to go to the pilot who first crosses the Atlantic. The money is offered by the Atlantic City Aero Club and constitutes the largest prize of the aviation meet. Two conditions are made. They are that the flight be during May and that it start from or terminate at Atlantic City.

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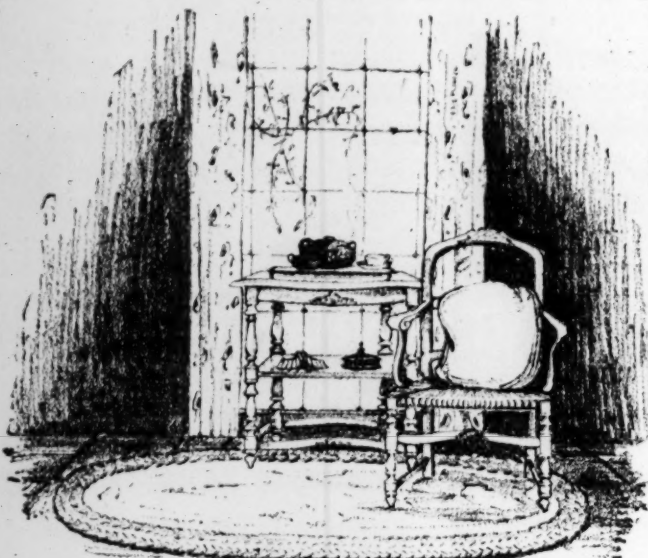
By the Associated Press.  
ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 28.—The hopes of Harry G. Hawker, and of Frederick P. Raynham, British fliers, rivals for a successful airplane flight over the Atlantic, are centered on engines which, it is learned today, have not been tested continuously for more than eight hours. With favorable conditions, for which the aviators are waiting, the trip will require a minimum of 20 hours.

Lack of weather reports from mid-ocean brought postponement again of the start of the transatlantic flight, although local conditions are the best here in many weeks.

With nine machines now actually entered in the \$50,000 prize competition of the London Daily Mail, it is learned that two other planes nearing completion in England will attempt the flight. One is a two-engine Vickers plane of the Vimy bomber type in quantity production at the time of the armistice. The other is a biplane similar to Raynham's Martinside.

Lost Child Goes to Church.  
When Thelma Starr, 10-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Roy V. Starr, 4232 Castleman avenue, strayed from her parents at Grand avenue and Olive street, late yesterday afternoon, she had presence of mind enough to walk to her father's church, the Flower Memorial Nazarene Church, Garrison avenue and Barrett street, a distance of between two and three miles. In the meantime a description of the girl had been given the police and a search was being made for her.

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4'x7' Rugs, \$4.25 and \$4.75.  
6'x9' Rugs, (Amos only), \$8.50.  
6'x12' Rugs, \$11.25 and \$18.75.  
8'x10' Rugs, \$12.75, \$13.50, \$21.00.  
9'x12' Rugs, \$16.50, \$17.50, \$28.  
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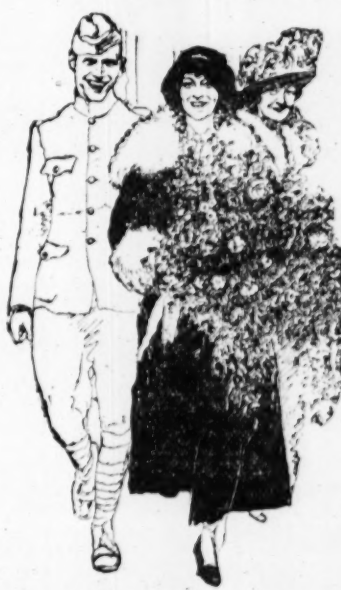
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**Mrs. M. S. Vanderbilt Dies.**

By the Associated Press.  
BOSTON, April 28.—Mrs. May S. Pepper Vanderbilt, well known as a spiritualistic medium, died here yesterday. At the time of her marriage in 1907 to E. Ward Vanderbilt of New York, she was pastor of the First Spiritualist Church of Brooklyn and

Bishop of the spiritualistic cult of that city.

**Soldiers Hurt in Wreck.**

By the Associated Press.  
MONTROSE, Col., April 28.—Twenty persons were injured, none seriously when Westbound Denver and Rio Grande train jumped the

track and turned over near Cerro Summit, 20 miles east of here yesterday. Among the injured were several soldiers.  
O. S. Major of Kansas City, a discharged soldier, was severely burned by the overturning of a stove in the coach in which he was riding and which turned over.

**PALMER TO ENFORCE WAR TIME PROHIBITION**

Attorney-General Hopes Law Will Be Construed Before It Is Necessary for Him to Act.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Attorney-General Palmer, in a letter to the New York World today, gives his views on the enforcement of the war-time prohibition act. Mr. Palmer says that he conceives it as his duty to enforce the law which forbids the use of food or fruit products in the manufacture of beer, wine and other intoxicating malt or various liquor for beverage purposes after May 1 without regard for his own opinion as to the wisdom or unwisdom of the legislation.

As for the prohibition amendment to the Constitution, Palmer says its proper enforcement is a matter which will require additional legislation before it becomes effective under its terms. The Attorney-General says he has recently co-operated with the attorneys for brewers in expediting the trial of a case in the New York courts to obtain a judicial decision giving the proper construction of the war-time prohibition law. He says he hopes to see such a decision rendered before it becomes necessary for either the brewers or the Government to determine without a court decision how to proceed.

The Department of Justice has no power to grant amnesty. Palmer says, to any who may see fit to manufacture beer pending a judicial construction of the law and that the pendency of legislation will be no protection against prosecution for offenses under the law.

**Attorney-General's Letter.**  
Palmer's letter, to the World reads:

"A few days ago in Philadelphia someone in my presence repeated a rude criticism about Senator Root to the effect that 'Hire's Root Beer had been changed to Beer Hire's Root.' I remarked that I had heard it before. I was chagrined the next day to discover that a newspaper had printed this expression and attributed it to me. If I really had been guilty of this foolish play upon words I think the criticism in your editorial this morning would have been quite justified.

"There has been a good deal of misunderstanding of the plans and purposes of the Department of Justice with reference to the enforcement of the so-called war time prohibition law, and I am sorry to say some misquotation, probably unintentional, of responsible officers of the Government with respect thereto.

"The Congress, as a war measure, enacted that after May 1, 1919, it shall be unlawful to use food or fruit products in the production of 'beer, wine or other intoxicating malt or various liquor for beverage purposes,' and after July 1, 1919, it shall be unlawful to sell such liquors for beverage purposes except for export. The act is to remain in force until the termination of the period of demobilization.

"As long as the act remains in force, under its terms it becomes my duty to see that it is enforced like all other laws, by the prosecution of such persons who violate it. It is my duty to do this without any regard whatever for my own opinion as to the wisdom or unwisdom of the legislation, which is a matter entirely for the Congress. There has naturally been some difference of opinion as to the proper construction of the act, but the final word with respect to its interpretation is with the courts, whose judgment will, I am sure, be cheerfully acquiesced in by all interests involved.

**Hopes for Quick Decision.**  
"All the questions involved in the interpretation of the law have been recently argued in a suit pending in New York. I was glad to co-operate with the attorneys representing brewers in an effort to expedite that case to an authoritative decision, and I am hopeful that the proper construction of the law may be settled by the court before it becomes necessary for either the brewers or the Government to determine without a court decision just how they shall proceed.

"I have no power to grant amnesty to any who may see fit to manufacture beer pending an authoritative judicial construction of the law, and I am sure that brewers generally understand that the pendency of litigation will be no protection against prosecution for offenses under the law.

"Of course, I am making no reference to the prohibition amendment to the Constitution. The proper method of enforcement of that amendment is a matter which will require additional legislation before it becomes effective under its terms."

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Chicagoan Was Testing Privately Owned Plane.

By the Associated Press.  
FREEPORT, N. Y., April 28.—Lieut. Allington Jolly of Chicago was killed yesterday when a privately owned airplane he was testing fell 150 feet, near the Lufberry Aviation Field here. Both his legs were broken and his skull was fractured. Jolly, who only recently had returned from 18 months' war service overseas, was flying at high speed, when the wings of his plane collapsed.

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**THE REV. DR. W. R. KING TO LEAVE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

The Rev. Dr. William R. King, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Washington boulevard and Sarah street, will leave the pastorate July 1, to become national secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions. Dr. King is president of the Church Federation of St. Louis. He came here four years ago from Monmouth, Ill.

Dr. King declined a call to the secretaryship of the mission board a year ago. In his letter of resignation, read to the congregation of the First Church yesterday, he says that when the call was renewed lately, the congregation. He will continue to reside in St. Louis, having the would permit a change of pastors without impairing the welfare of here or in Chicago.

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The present equipment for distribution, including grounds, buildings, storage tanks, motor trucks, wagons, etc., represents an investment of more than \$30,000,000.

There are 27 main stations where complete stocks of all products are kept on hand. Supporting these are the bulk stations located at 2881 carefully selected points in 11 states. These stations are equipped with storage tanks having a combined capacity of 86,118,650 gallons of gasoline, 66,115,300 gallons of kerosene, and 4,800,000 gallons of lubricating oils.

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To enable the Company to fulfill its obligations to patrons, and deliver to them the products they require, it is necessary to maintain a fleet of 3700 motor trucks and a caravan of 8500 horse-drawn wagons, either active or in reserve. These tank wagons are so organized that they, at regular intervals, can reach 75% of the homes in the territory at present served by this company.

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## BURLESON SAYS WIRE WORKERS CAN'T STRIKE

Points Out They Work for Government—Replies to Gompers' Criticism.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 28.—Postmaster-General Burleson in a statement issued last night defended his administration of the Postoffice Department and his policy in operating Government-controlled telephone and telegraph systems against charges made by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, that the Postmaster-General was carrying out "an archaic, autocratic policy" and "was completely out of sympathy with the trend of American thought." Burleson in his statement continued his criticism of what he termed "certain selfish publish-

The Postmaster-General said the "value and importance of the service rendered by Mr. Samuel Gompers during the recent war was surpassed by few men in America," and that the labor official "is entitled to our grateful appreciation for this service, but this does not imply that there should be an acceptance of his views on all issues."

Burleson's Statement. Burleson said: "It is little short of silly to talk about collective bargaining with an executive officer by civil service employees under his administration. The salary and wages to be paid such employees, the hours of labor and working conditions are fixed by the legislative branch, and it is for the executive head of a department to strictly follow the law. The Postmaster-General has always believed that sound public opinion could safely be relied upon to see that full justice is done those who serve the Government. It is the duty of an executive officer to give the legislative branch, when asked the benefit of his judgment on this subject, and the Postmaster-General has recommended, as the record shows that the Government be a model employer, that compensation for those who serve it be fixed upon a generous basis, in fact, compensation of laborers and clerks should be fixed at from 15 to 30 per cent more than is paid for similar service in private employment, but beyond this it should not go. That the legislative branch can be relied upon to act generously is shown, for within two years increases have been granted aggregating more than \$40,000,000 annually.

"The attitude of the Postmaster-General toward organization of Government employees and their affiliation with outside organizations having the strike as a means of redressing grievances has long been known and, notwithstanding the fact that the Postmaster-General has been denounced by the American Federation of Labor in national convention, his views on this subject have undergone no change. He maintains that the strike on the part of employees of the Government or those working for the Government is not permissible, in fact, is unthinkable and that the utmost danger to the Government is involved in any suggestion that there should be a recession from this position, and that as far as he is concerned there will be none.

"Working for Government." "In the matter of telephone and telegraph employees they are at present working for the Government and the Postmaster-General insists that a strike on their part is not permissible and he will never concede that it is. While they are working for the Government, the wage paid them is not fixed, as that of other Government employees, and hence a different treatment or method must be used in ascertaining what is a just wage.

Burleson said he had strictly observed the rules and policies laid down by the War Labor Board for telegraph employees before the wires were taken over by the Government, and added:

"The wire administration has at all times endeavored to be absolutely just and fair to all employees of the wire service, the owners of the properties and the public.

"The question is, as the Postmaster-General sees it, whether the orderly processes of Government shall be ignored, whether a labor organization can defy its authority and put into effect their will regardless of the right of others and the public interest."

Strike Inevitable Unless Burleson Changes, Says Koenekamp. By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, April 28.—At a meeting of District Council No. 1, Commercial Telegraphers of America, yesterday, resolutions pledging support of the international officers in any action they may take, including a nation-wide strike of telegraph and telephone workers, were unanimously adopted. The resolutions declared the telegraphers had been denied the right of collective bargaining and wage advances to meet the increased cost of living and that "victimization of union men and women has not been stopped by the wire administration." International President S. J. Koenekamp said that a strike was inevitable unless Postmaster-General Burleson changes his attitude.

Boston, April 28.—Members of the local Commercial Telegraphers' Union voted overwhelmingly in favor of a nation-wide strike next month. It was announced yesterday when the referendum vote was tabulated.

Head Tires and Auto Accessories. Geller, Ward & Hanner Bldg. Co., 412-14 North Fourth st. Branch 2342 Olive st.—Adv.

Judge Dyer Is Better. Federal Judge David P. Dyer, who collapsed Saturday in an elevator at the Federal Building, was reported much improved today at his home, 1 North Taylor avenue. It was said that he would probably be able to resume his duties in the United States District Court in a day or two.

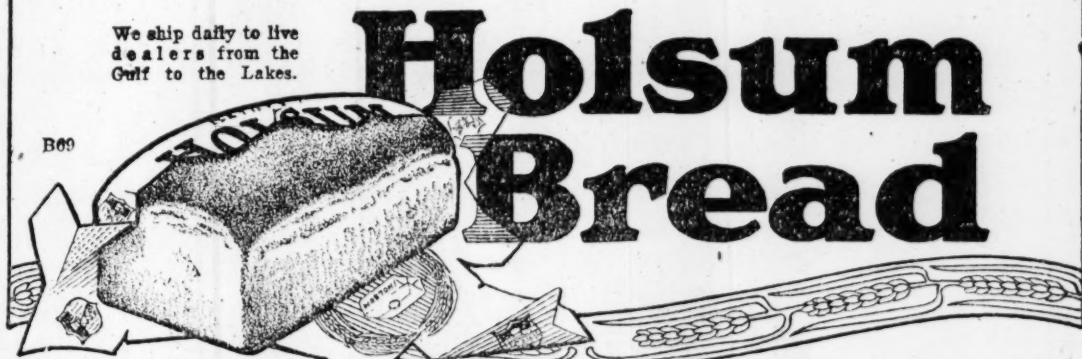


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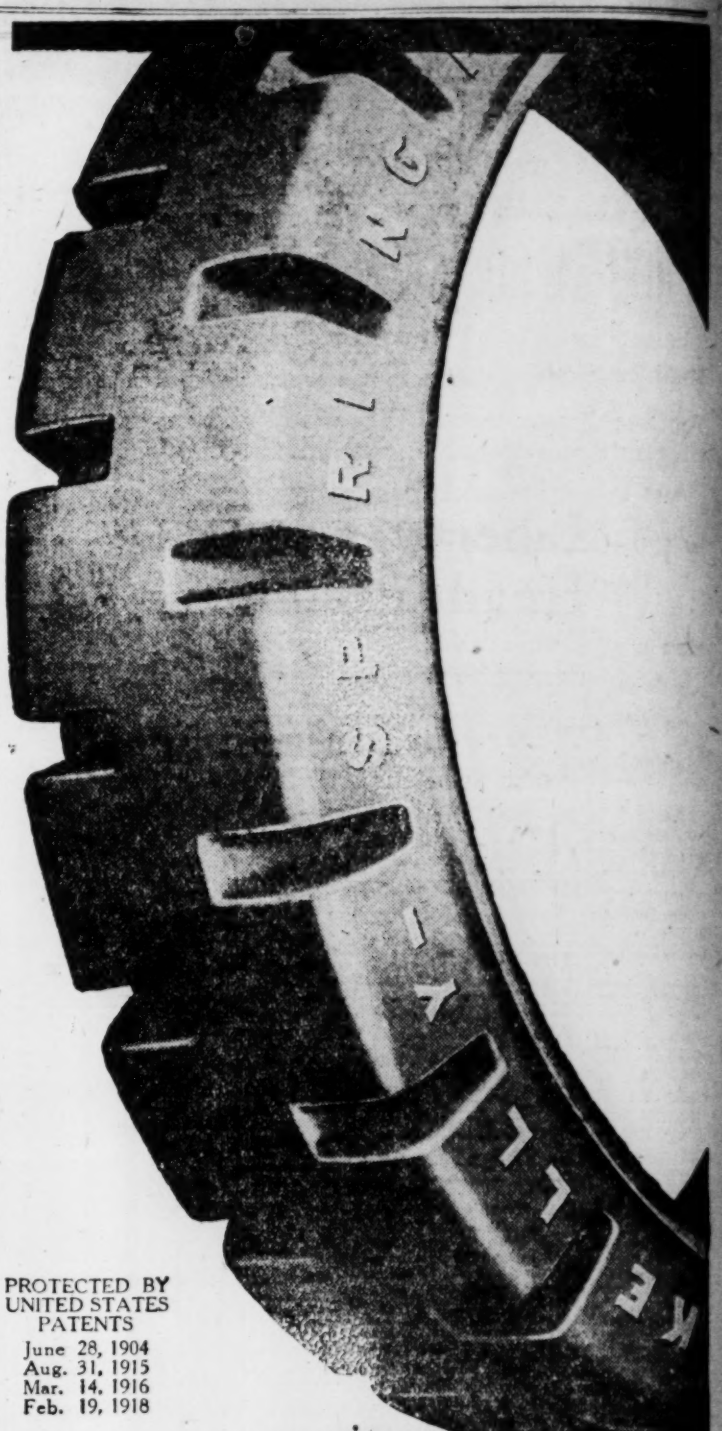


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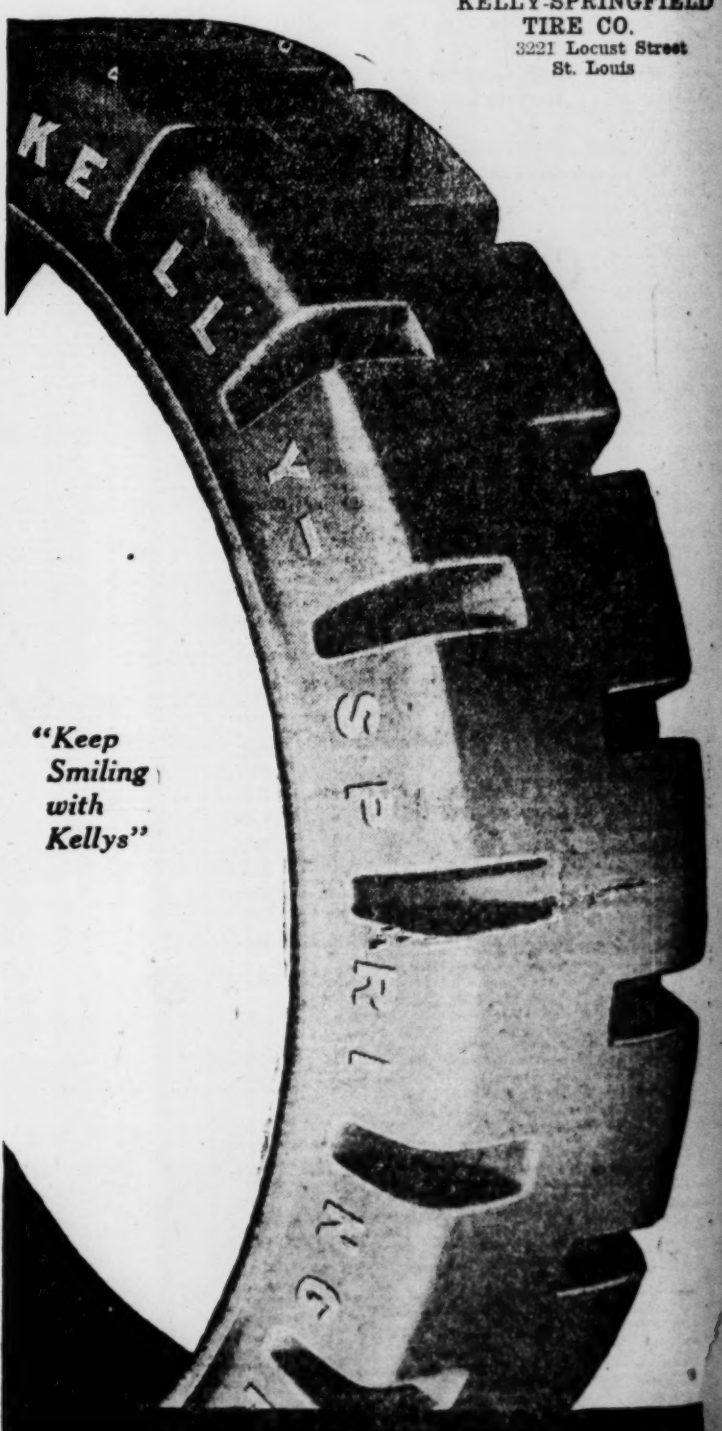
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# ROBBERS "JIMMY" THREE DOORS TO ROB SALOON SAFE

**\$860 Taken From 1518 Market Street, Five Blocks From Police Headquarters and Two From City Hall.**

## WHISKEY TAKEN IN THREE BURGLARIES

**Man Is Held Up at Main and Locust Streets at 3 O'Clock in Afternoon—Other Robberies.**

The fact that police headquarters was only five blocks away and the city hall but two blocks distant did not interfere with the work of safe robbers who got away with \$860 from William Wilmering, 1518 Market street, between Saturday night and this morning.

To get into the office containing the safe, the robbers had to "jimmy" three doors. They accomplished with a crowbar, which they afterward left in the saloon. After "soaping" the safe they covered it with sacks to muffle the explosion and then blew the heavy front door clear of its hinges.

The job was so cleverly executed that nothing in the saloon but the safe was disturbed. The detonation did not even rock the glasses back of the bar. A sledge hammer, used to batter open the inner compartment of the safe, was near the "jimmy" when Wilmering's attendant entered the place for business this morning.

Between \$2300 and \$2500 was obtained by robbers who blew the safe in the office of the Star Packing Co., 1240 South Broadway, at 12:40 a. m. today. A Sergeant and three policemen, standing at Broadway and Rucker street, a block away, heard the explosion, and tried the doors and windows of the buildings in the neighborhood, but were unable to locate the sound. The safe robbery was not discovered until employees arrived at the plant at 6:30 a. m.

The robbers got into the building from a second floor porch, forcing holes around the lock of a door leading to a second-floor storeroom. After boring the holes they sawed away the lock. The office where the safe was situated was on a balcony between the first and second floors. In addition to the money, the robbers took a revolver and a flashlight. They left their trace and bit and saw on the porch.

**Three Theft of Whiskey.** "Truck burglars" raided the St. Louis Wine and Liquor Co.'s storeroom, 1105 South Broadway, at noon yesterday, stealing 12 cases of whiskey and 2 cases of champagne. The total value of the loot was \$445. Police men were told that five men in an automobile truck were seen in the rear of the place a short time before the burglary took place. This was the second robbery of the kind in the neighborhood in 24 hours. Saturday the Samuel Epstein Liquor Co., 520 Clark avenue, was entered and liquors valued at \$750 stolen.

Burglars broke into the bar in the rear of the Astor Hotel, Thirteenth and Olive streets, early yesterday, and stole whiskey and liquors valued at \$100, and \$75.66 hidden in the beer coils.

Several cases of canned corn, peas, peaches, onions, grape juice and jelly were stolen from the home of Emil Himmelman, 1600 South Compton avenue, in the family's absence.

**Holdup at 3 P. M.** At the saloon of Charles Milowski, 8625 North Broadway, burglars stole whiskey valued at \$200.

The residence of Ely Bertram, 4163 West Pine boulevard, was robbed while the family was absent and jewelry valued at \$150 taken.

Andrew Manz, 55 years old, of 2150 North Broadway, was struck on the head by one of two men who stopped him near Main and Locust street at 3 p. m. He was dazed by the blow and before he recovered the men took \$20 from his pockets and fled.

Albert Steffel, 3226 Iowa avenue, was stopped by a man near Winnebago and Nebraska avenue at 11 p. m. The man asked for a cigarette and a match. Steffel accommodated him with both. Instead of handing them back to Steffel, the man put both the matches and the cigarette in his pocket. When Steffel demanded an explanation the man drew a revolver and ordered Steffel into an alley a half block away. A second man joined them there and while the first held the revolver the second searched Steffel's pockets and took \$150.

"Much obliged," the first one remarked, as he told Steffel to "beat it" and keep quiet.

**Discharged Soldier Held.** Leon Martin, a discharged soldier on his way to his home in Illinois, was caught hiding in the collar of a vacant building at 417 South Sixth street, at 11 p. m., after he had been arrested by police.

Attempted to hold up George Benson, a private watchman, as the watchman passed an alley on Clark avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

Martin was armed with a pistol when he ordered the watchman to throw up his hands. Instead, Benson grabbed the pistol and the soldier fled, pursued by Benson. The latter was joined by policemen as he continued to Eighth street, Spruce, to Seventh, Poplar and then to Sixth street and into the vacant house.

# AT 16, HE QUIT NAVY AND JOINED ENGINEERS TO GET TO FRANCE

**Wants to Know if He's Deserter.**

**CHICAGO, April 23.**—Frank W. Allen, 18 years old, of Springfield, Mo., was uncertain today whether he is classed as a deserter from the navy. A month before the United States entered the world war, Allen, then 16, enlisted in the navy in the hope that he might get into the fight.

Sixteen months' inaction at the navy yard brought him no comfort, so he deserted and enlisted in the 602nd Engineers at Boston under the name of Jack Anderson. Three weeks later he was in France, and then, as the American forces went forward, he was at Chateau-Thierry, in St. Mihiel and in the Argonne woods. After the armistice was signed he went with his unit to Coblenz, and a couple weeks ago he was mustered out of service.

After visiting his parents in Springfield, he went to the Great Lakes training station and surrendered to Provost Marshal Lieut. R. C. MacDuffie. Lieut. MacDuffie said the "army and navy veteran" was a prisoner at large, waiting for the Navy Department to decide his case.

## CIRCUS PARADE DELAYED BY RAIN FOR 2 1/2 HOURS

**Four Wagons of Animals, 40 Horses, Two Bands and Three Steam Calliopes in Procession.**

The parade of the Self-Propelled circus left the grounds at Vandeventer and Laclede avenues, at 11 o'clock this morning, one hour and a half late on account of rain.

There were four wagons of lions, a hippopotamus, a rhinoceros, several leopards, tigers and camels, seven elephants and a small army of ostriches and monkeys.

There were about 40 horses in gay trappings, ridden by women. Two brass bands and three steam calliopes furnished music along the route. A band of clowns afforded amusement for the children.

The Pope School, at Ewing and Laclede avenues, dismissed its pupils. The route of the parade was east on Laclede to Market to Broadway, to Washington avenue, to Twenty-second street, to Pine and thence to the grounds at Vandeventer avenue. The opening performance will be this afternoon. The circus will be here all week.

## AUCTION SALE OF 10,000,000 FUR PELTS HERE IS BEGUN

**It Is Expected That Tremendous Sale Will Bring in \$10,000,000 at Least in Two Weeks.**

The spring fur sale opened at 10 o'clock today at the International Fur Exchange, 125 South Second street, with a larger attendance of buyers on the opening day of any previous sale. Besides the regulars from London and Paris and the other world centers, there were buyers from Siberia, Japan, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

Ten million furs are listed in the catalogue of 530 pages. It is estimated that at least \$10,000,000 will be paid for them in two weeks. The collection is greater than the aggregate of the sales at the recent New York sale and three concurrent London sales, showing the unchallenged superiority of St. Louis as the fur center of the world.

## WANTS WIFE FOR BOYS' SISTER

**Missouri Publisher and Wife Would Adopt Abandoned Baby.**

Mary Estelle, a founding baby who was discovered on the front steps of 4318 Farlin avenue on April 9, and who has been cared for at the city hospital since, is being sought after to fill the quota of a family's children. E. C. White, publisher of the Doniphan (Mo.) Republican, has written hospital authorities following publication in the Post-Dispatch of the finding of the baby. He asked that he be permitted to adopt Mary Estelle. He says he has four boys, whose ages range from 6 to 16, but he and Mrs. White wish a little girl in their family.

Mary Estelle was found with a note pinned to her blanket saying her mother was dead and the person who left her was leaving town. "Please try to find someone who will love her as her mother would," the note said. The baby is now under the care of the Board of Children's Guardians, who will determine her adoption.

## MEN NEEDED IN AIR SERVICE

Fifteen thousand men are needed at once in the development of the nation's air service. All who are interested in enlistment in this branch of the army, either as aviator or dirigible balloon pilot, chauffeur, mechanic or work at some of the other 20 trades required in the air service, are asked to communicate with the department air service office, 104 Broad street, New York.

They will receive in reply an important communication on the subject prepared by Capt. Charles J. Gildner, who has served as an officer for several months in the army flying school at Southern Field, America, Ga., and at the army balloon school at Fort Omaha, Neb.

## CHARLES EHRLMANN'S FUNERAL

Funeral services for Charles Ehrlmann, 73 years old, who died Saturday at Hotel Statler, will be held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William J. Gundelach, 4937 Forest Park boulevard, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. The body will be incinerated.

# TWO MEN AT THE CIRCUS FOUND MYSTERIOUSLY INJURED

**One Attacked in Sleep With a Pitchfork and Negro's Skull Is Fractured Later.**

Two mysterious assaults occurred in the sleeping tents on the circus grounds at Vandeventer and Laclede avenues this morning.

At 4:15 a. m., an ambulance was summoned to convey Henry Murphy, 26 years old, Spokane, Wash., one of the pony attendants, to the city hospital. He had awakened to find the prongs of a pitchfork sticking in his abdomen. He told policemen that he had no idea who his assailant might have been, nor could he assign any reason for the assault. He said that he was asleep when he felt himself jabbed and that when he awoke he heard a rustling movement but saw no one. Other members of the circus by bunk said that they had been aroused by Murphy's cries for help, but had seen no sign of the assailant.

Three quarters of an hour later another ambulance was summoned to the circus grounds when Fry Sanderson, a negro, 34 years old, of Elizabeth, Ky., was found unconscious on his bunk. His skull was fractured and the only dew to the assault was an ax which was lying at his side. The circus employees were questioned, Sanderson also was taken to the city hospital. Both men were said to be in a serious condition.

## PLANS FOR CAUCUS OF AMERICAN LEGION TO BE HELD HERE

**Lieut.-Col. E. F. Wood Will Confer on Arrangements With Charles F. Hatfield.**

Arrangements for the caucus of the American Legion in St. Louis, May 8, 9 and 10, will be completed upon the arrival today of Lieut.-Colonel E. F. Wood, secretary of the temporary committee, who will confer with Charles F. Hatfield, secretary of the St. Louis Convention and Publicity Bureau.

The caucus will bring about 1200 veterans of the world war to St. Louis and permanent organization of the legion will be effected at that time. Representation in the caucus has been fixed at two delegates for each congressional district. The society will be nonpolitical.

The American Legion was conceived at a gathering of the American Legion in Paris last February and a committee composed of Lieut.-Colonel Roosevelt as chairman; Lieut.-Colonel Bennett C. Clark, vice chairman; and Lieut.-Colonel Wood as secretary, was appointed to carry out plans for a permanent organization.

New York's 86 delegates to the caucus were named last Saturday. The six representing St. Louis will be named May 2. Elaborate plans for the entertainment of the delegates during the meeting here are being made.

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## A Complete Victory

—is never won until the reconstruction period is successfully concluded. That is what the Victory Loan is for. Our boys over there need and expect your help.

## FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Charge Purchases Made Remainder of Month Payable June 1st.

## Fur Storage

Our vaults are under the supervision of an expert furrier, who has had years of experience in the proper preservation of furs. Phone Fur Storage office, Olive 5900 or Central 7900.

Fifth Floor

## The May Sale of Waists

For this event we have assembled thousands of snowy white Waists, and wise shoppers will supply their needs for some time to come at these special prices—



## White Waists

Made of voiles, organdies and batiste, beautifully embroidered and lace-trimmed, or in plain tailored styles with hemstitching, tiny tucks and pearl buttons. Made with large or convertible collars, also in collarless style. Sizes 34 to 46. No mail or phone orders can be accepted on this item.

**\$1.85**

## White Waists

Hundreds of Waists in this group in tailored and dressy styles, with convertible collars, round necks or collarless. They are fashioned of organdie, voile or batiste, trimmed with hand embroidery, lace, hemstitching and pleats. Sizes 34 to 46, and some styles in sizes up to 52.

**\$2.85**

## White Waists

Tailored and fancy styles, with new collars and sleeves. These are wonderfully made of French voile, organdie, striped madras and batiste. Trimmed with Val. lace, embroidery, organdie panels, tucks and plaits. Sizes 34 to 46 and several styles in sizes up to 52.

**\$3.85**

Third Floor

Continuing Tuesday With Undisturbed Assortments

## Our May Sale of Undermuslins

—hundreds and hundreds of Undermuslins in the best styles at irresistibly low prices.

## Undergarments at

Envelope Chemises.....  
Drawers.....  
Gowns—slip-over style.....  
Petticoats—with underlay.....

Of splendid materials, finished with laces and embroideries, some hand-embroidered, with briar stitching and hemstitching.

## Undergarments at

Pajamas.....  
Petticoats.....  
Envelope Chemises.....  
Cape Bloomers.....  
Gowns—with hand-embroidered bow knots.....

A wonderful assortment, variously trimmed with pretty patterns of laces, organdie insertions, hand-embroidered knots in different motifs.

## Undergarments at

Lingerie Gowns.....  
Pajamas.....  
Envelope Chemises.....  
Petticoats.....

Richly trimmed in many charming styles. Many of the gowns have silk tops.

**98c**



**\$1.48**

**\$2.88**

## Philippine Lingerie

Handmade in many beautiful embroidered and floral effects. Also dainty sprig designs, combining punch-work and seeded embroidery.

Handmade Gowns.....\$2.85  
Handmade Gowns and Envelope Chemises at \$3.85  
Handmade Gowns and Envelope Chemises at \$1.95

Third Floor

Continuing Our May Sale of

## Infants' and Children's Wearables



**\$2.50 to \$3 Fancy Creepers and Rompers, \$1.99**

Hand-smocked, embroidered and tailored styles, of dimity, crepe, poplin and Devonshire cloths. All white and fancy colors—many styles. Sizes 6 months to 6 years.

**Children's \$1.50 to \$2.00 Batiste Gowns, \$1.29**

V. round and square low neck, short sleeves, slip-over styles. White, pink or figured dimity. Some smocked, others embroidered and finished with ribbon strings and bows. Dainty lace edges—sizes 4 to 16.

**Boys' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Suits and Rompers, 99c**

Of ginghams, both 1 and 2 piece styles; long or short sleeves; beach effects, with collars and belts; also solid colors and stripes, some combinations or trimmed in white. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

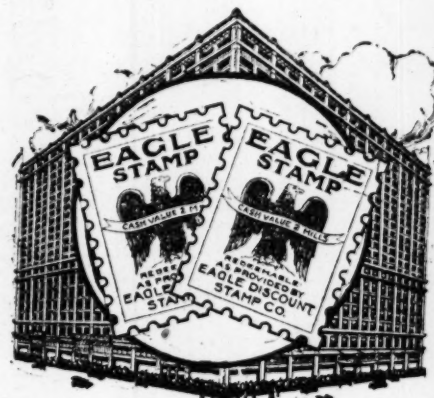
**\$4 to \$7 Sample White Dresses, \$2.99 and \$3.99**

A large variety, made of voiles, dimity, lawn and French organdie, some very lacey, finished with ribbon sash, others smocked or hand-embroidered with novelty figures. Empire or frock styles. Sizes 2 to 6.

**SPECIAL! Infants' Silk Shirts—½ Price**

A very special offering of Vanta and Rubin make pure silk shirts, taken from our regular stock and offered at this great saving because they are slightly soiled. Sizes from 1 to 6 years with the exception of the 2-year old size.

Third Floor



## Double

## Eagle Stamps

## Tuesday

## Unusual Suit Values

in this feature group at . . . **\$29.75**



The values are really more than unusual—they are extraordinary. There are about 150 Suits, specially purchased, and an equal number selected from our higher priced lines and repriced for this event.

Most of them are tailored of men's-wear serge, although a few other popular weaves are represented. There are semi-tailored and box coat effects, some with vestes, others elaborately trimmed with braid. All are handsomely silk lined. Sizes 14 to 44.

Third Floor

## A Clothes Service Unequaled

Famous-Barr Co.'s magnificent stocks of Men's and Young Men's Spring Clothes offer unrivaled choosing, at

**\$19, \$24, \$30 to \$50**

St. Louis' Foremost Clothes Store for Men is thoroughly prepared to serve the men of this community with clothes of highest quality. Our impregnable connections with America's foremost clothes builders place us in position to provide the very best men's apparel and, as usual, to offer St. Louis' very best values.

## Men's Spring Suits

Extraordinary Values at . . . **\$24**

Suits obtained in a special purchase from several leading manufacturers and priced far below their rightful worth. Come in this season's most popular models, made of all wool fancy worsted fabrics, cassimeres and chevrons, in sizes for men and young men.

## Young Men's Suits

Unusual Values at . . . **\$19**

At this remarkably low price are styles that will particularly appeal to young men, prominent among them being the popular waist-seam model. All are splendidly tailored of plain colored flannels and novelty cassimeres, many quarter alpaca lined.

Second Floor



## Again Tuesday, St. Louis' Greatest Sale of Boys' Suits

Offering \$12.50, \$15 and \$18 Kinds for . . . **\$9.50**

This sale is the result of an extraordinary purchase of the entire surplus stock of Boys' Spring and Summer Suits from J. J. Preis & Company of New York.

The original quantity included 1900 of these Norfolk Suits, made in the popular waist-seam models, with panel backs, detachable belts and slash pockets.

They are tailored of high-grade woolsens, in the newest color effects. Every pair of knickers lined throughout and reinforced with double seat and knees. All sizes for boys from 7 to 18 years.

Second Floor



## Wilton Velvet Rugs

Excellent Values at . . . **\$44.85**

Seamless 9x12-ft. Rugs, made of the finest yarns in a good assortment of designs and color combinations. These are reproductions of genuine Persian and Chinese designs in colors of taupe, blue, rose and mixtures.

**Royal Wilton Rugs, \$67.50**

A choice assortment of designs and colorings. Small all-over Oriental and Conventional patterns suitable for all rooms—sizes 8-3x10-6 ft.

**Seamless Brussels Rugs, \$27.50**

Come in pretty small hints, floral, medallion and conventional designs in colors of blue and tan, green and rose and blue and brown.

**Seamless Axminster Rugs, \$47.50**

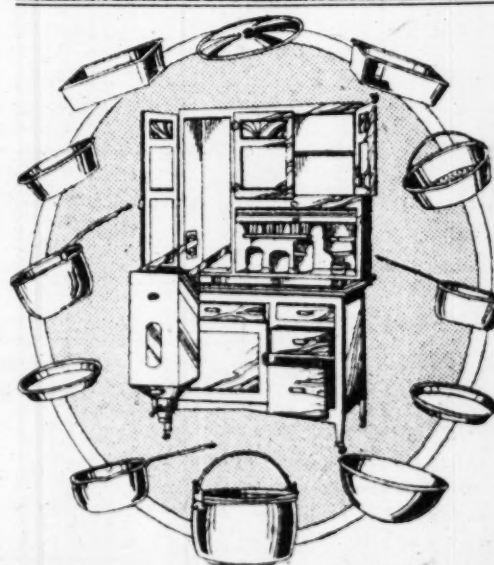
9x12-ft. size, woven with deep rich lustrous pile, in the desired colors and patterns.

**\$10.50 to \$13.50 Rugs, \$6.75**

Made of the best quality worsted yarns in the plain colors of rose, French gray, mulberry, blue and taupe, as well as mixed shades. Size 27x34 inches.

Fourth Floor

## Combination Sale of Sellers' Kitchen Cabinets



For this remarkable sale, a complete set of pure aluminum ware, the value of which is \$7.50, will be included with each Kitchen Cabinet. The sets consist of 12 pieces, including mixing bowl, collander, pudding pan, 2 piepans, 3 saucepans and a 6-quart kettle with cover. The Sellers' Kitchen Cabinets in this sale are the most improved kinds, fitted with all the modern labor-saving devices and each cabinet with a complete set of glassware.

Sellers' Aluminum Top Kitchen Cabinets and \$7.50 Set of Aluminum Ware; a \$40.45 value; Tuesday for . . . **\$32.95**

Sellers' Porcelain Top Kitchen Cabinets with \$7.50 Set of Aluminum Ware; a \$55.40 value; Tuesday for . . . **\$47.95**

Sellers' Porcelain Top Kitchen Cabinets, with \$7.50 Set of Aluminum Ware; a \$60.45 value; Tuesday for . . . **\$52.95**

These cabinets may be bought on our deferred payment plan if desired.

Basement Gallery

**A 12-Piece \$7.50 Set of Aluminum Ware**

With each Cabinet—all at the price of the Cabinet alone.

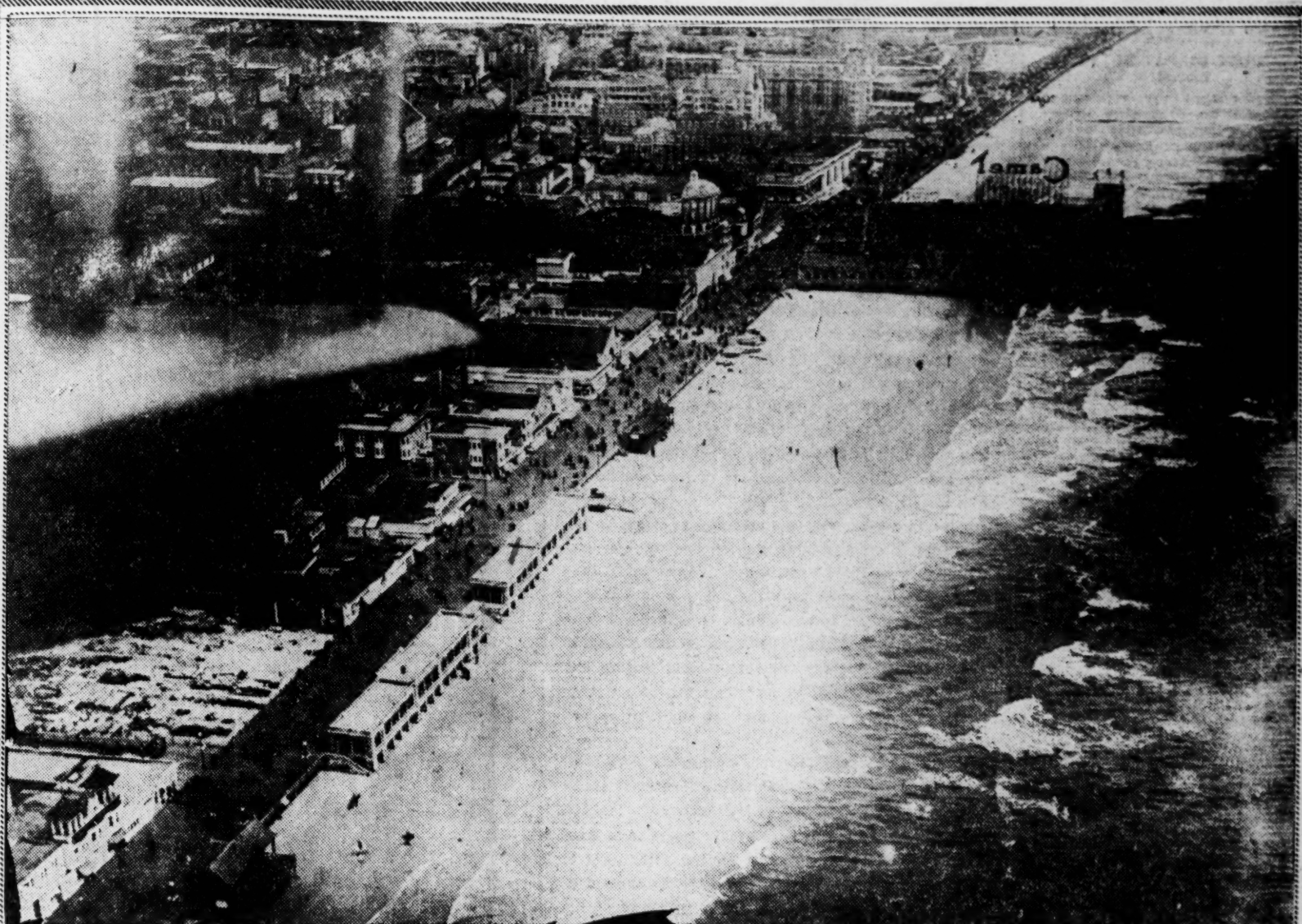
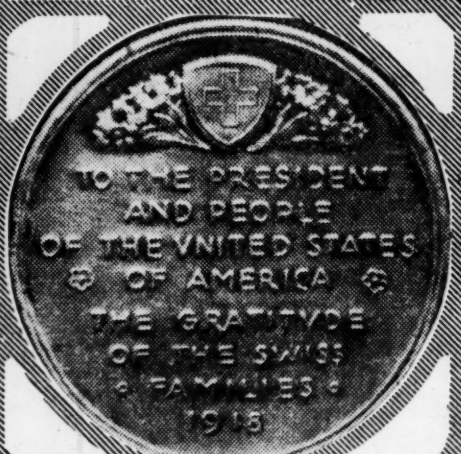




Memorial to Canadians who died in the war, erected in the Duchess of Connaught's Red Cross Hospital, Taplow.  
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Medal to be presented to President Wilson by Switzerland as result of national subscriptions from all cantons of the Helvetic Republic. The medallion is very large, and is made of gold.  
—Underwood & Underwood



Atlantic City, the world's first permanent air port, as seen from airplane. Here will be the headquarters of American aviation contests, including flights for the Pulitzer trophy.  
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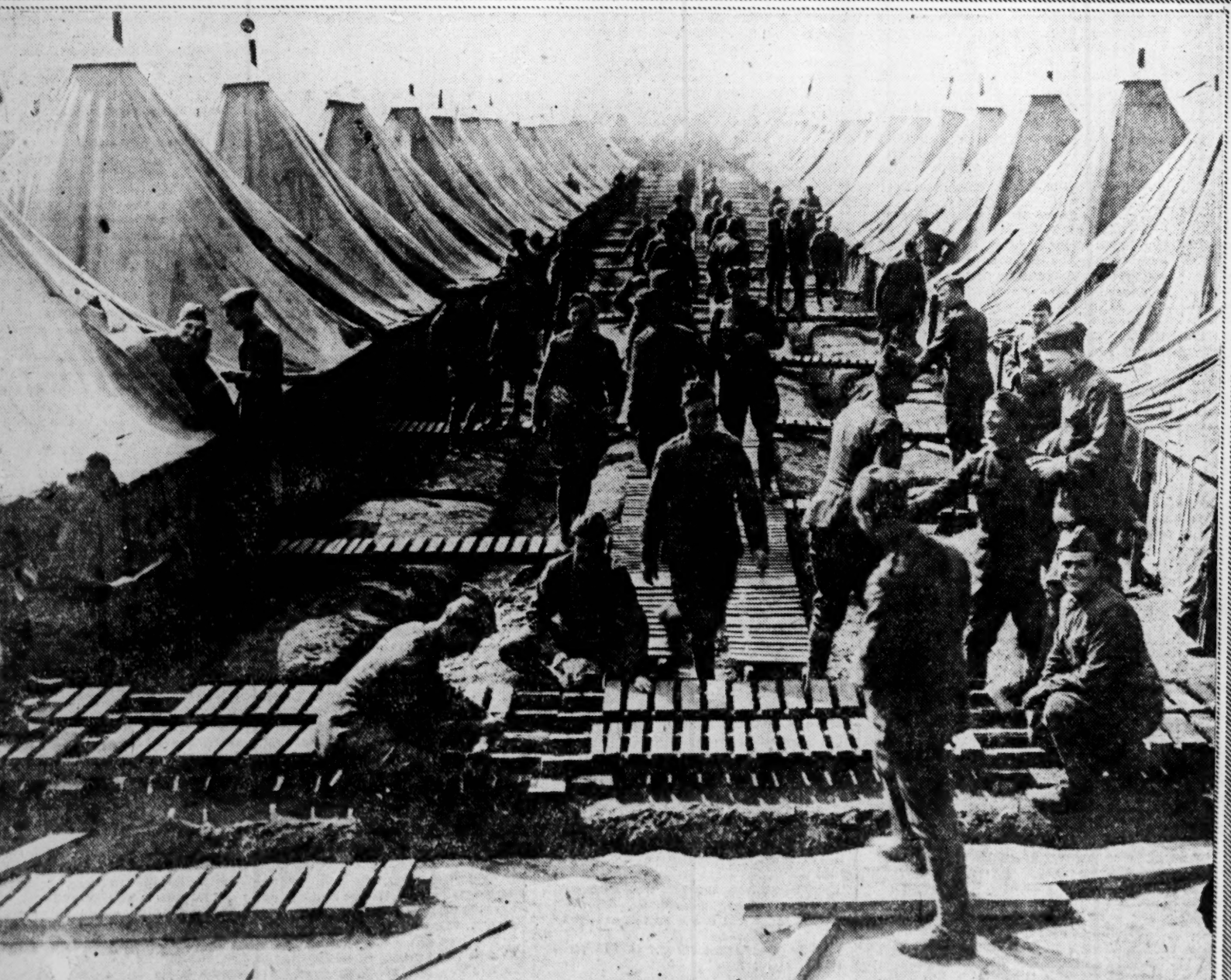
Capt. Morgan's plane, the Raymor, being prepared in Newfoundland for trial spin. It is a Martinsyde.  
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Capt. W. Morgan, English aviator, now in Newfoundland awaiting opportunity to fly across the Atlantic.



The Misses Martha and Della Herrmann, daughters of the Rev. W. F. Herrmann, Ferguson, returning from France as Red Cross workers with Unit No. 70.



First good photograph showing the camp at Brest, concerning which there has been much criticism. It is from this port that many American soldiers embark for the United States.  
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Getting ready for the circus parade.



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## THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.  
April 10, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Too Lenient With Criminals.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Replying to your article in last Sunday's issue, that convict at Jefferson City surely hit the nail on the head when he said the courts of Washington, D. C., made it hot for his kind, and for that reason they steer clear of the Capital City.

In our grand old city today, we have a Chief of Police asking for more men to police the city. He should be as honest as the convict and tell the real reason St. Louis is overrun with desperate criminals.

We have plenty of police and 80 per cent of them are strictly honest. They are fully capable of handling all the "crooks" that come to St. Louis, but they do not get enough backing from our courts.

Criminals have nothing to fear in this city, for they all know the chances are 200 to 1 in their favor. The police may arrest them, but if they are caught the chances are the local courts will not convict them. However, if by some miracle they should happen to the ever-ready Parole Board at Jefferson City on the job and they are sure to turn them loose. The result is they head straight back to St. Louis, where they know they can murder and rob with little or no interference.

The policeman in this city is likened to a fisherman: How long would he sit on a bank if he had a man behind him throwing the fish back into the stream as quickly as he pulled them out?

About 25 years ago the same conditions existed in Cincinnati. A few of us remember what eventually happened: The people took matters into their own hands and made a general cleanup, which has made their city a good place to live in ever since.

I am neither a Democrat nor a Republican, but it seems to me that both parties are rotten to the core, the Republicans in this city and the Democrats in Jefferson City.

L. E. TURNER.

A Democrat's Opinion.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

If we Democrats do not abolish the Public Service Commission and nominate a Mayor for St. Louis on the platform of free street car service and keep away from public utility money, influence and magnates, we will never win another election in this State.

CHAS. L. DELBRIDGE.

Other St. Louis Fighters.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Looking over today's letters from the people I notice one from "A Sister of a Fallen Hero," who wants to know why the Thirty-fifth and Eighty-ninth Divisions did not fight in the St. Louis battle. I am another one who would like to know. I just returned from overseas, but I was not with the Thirty-fifth or Eighty-ninth. I went over as replacement and was sent up with the Forty-second, and there are many other St. Louis boys in other divisions who saw just as much service as the Thirty-fifth or Eighty-ninth. There are quite a few boys here at the barracks in the hospital and at the old St. Louis Infirmary who fought with other divisions. When we landed in New York the people there did not ask us if we were in the Twenty-seventh or Seventy-seventh Division (both New York divisions); they received us with open arms, nothing was too good for us. All through the East it was the same way, but when you arrive in St. Louis (your home city) you find that the Thirty-fifth and Eighty-ninth Divisions seem to be the only ones that did any fighting. While in the New York hospital we were treated great; you cannot praise the New York people any too high for the way they are treating the returned, wounded and sick. When you get to St. Louis they seem to have forgotten everything but the Thirty-fifth and Eighty-ninth. We are not even given seats to see the Thirty-fifth review, we are asked to act as a guard of honor. Why? I hope St. Louis will soon wake up to the fact that there are St. Louis boys in other divisions than the Thirty-fifth and Eighty-ninth.

OVERSEAS.

A W. C. T. U. Monument.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A member of the Board of Aldermen is in favor of a monument of some kind being erected in honor of the Missouri boys that took part in the war. There are many private citizens who think the same. A suggestion that has been talked of more or less is that it be in the form of a place in front of our Union Station, to take the place of the unsightly shack that greet one upon entering our city, and that the Women's Christian Temperance Union be the medium through which the work be carried out as a monument of thanksgiving from them for the aid the hearts of the army gave to their cherished project. There are more than 20,000 earnest workers for the cause in the State. Give 20,000 persons of one mind an object to work for and wonders can be accomplished.

The No Alcohol for the Soldier or Sailor has been of greatest aid.

ONE OF THE TWENTY THOUSAND.

## THE NEW PEACE COVENANT.

The provisions in the covenant of the League of Nations that member nations agree to inquiry or arbitration in international differences and not to go to war until three months after the report on the differences; that the League Council shall watch the horizon for signs of war and recommend action to avert it, are in themselves worth all the trouble and risk of the undertaking to guarantee peace.

These and other provisions making for peace through reductions of armaments and taking definite steps to prevent wars and to check aggressions that lead to war, would have justified the acceptance of the original draft or even a lesser compromise. For the first time in history the leading nations of the earth have agreed to co-operate in the task of keeping the peace of the world on the basis of justice and liberty.

This alone was a rich fruit to garner from the horror and suffering and sacrifices of the worst war in history.

The submission of the first tentative draft of the peace covenant brought out valuable criticisms and suggestions, many of which were accepted and embodied in the revised draft now submitted to the nations for final action.

The new draft is an improvement on the original. It meets practically all the objections of the constructive critics in this country. All of Mr. Taft's suggestions are embodied in the revised covenant and so much of the suggestions of other leading Republicans who favor a League—such as Elihu Root, Senators Knox and Lodge—that these men must take the position of declining to yield at any point to any opinion or will except their own, in order to reject it. They must decline altogether to work with the representatives of other nations and demand the enforcement of America's will on all other nations. We do not believe that men of their caliber will take this position.

With the Monroe Doctrine definitely preserved, unanimity in council decisions assured, national sovereignty in questions of peace or war conserved, internal domestic questions reserved, national consent as to mandatory service, the door opened for the withdrawal of members and the admission of new members and a general clarifying and improving of the language of the covenant, we cannot conceive of the United States refusing to enter the League. The concern of one is the concern of all and peace is the common object.

It protects all of our national rights, except the right to make aggressive war at will—a right we abhor—and offers a practical guarantee of peaceful co-operation of the nations in behalf of justice and liberty and peace among the nations.

This lays the foundation of the federation of nations, the parliament of man, which is to secure the happiness of mankind. It is the embodiment of our aspirations and strivings since the adoption of our Constitution.

## THE SUFFRAGE BOOKKEEPING ACCOUNT.

The bookkeeping account kept by the National Suffrage Association with the Legislatures meeting in 1919 shows that eight of them passed measures conferring presidential suffrage on women. In Vermont the bill was vetoed by the Governor. Excluding Vermont, there are now 28 States in which women have the vote, and it is reckoned that women with the right to participate in the choice of 302 presidential electors a year from next November number 15,500,000.

Of the 28 suffrage States, 15 have accorded full suffrage on terms of equality with men. Two have given the right to vote in primary election and the following 11 have granted the right to vote for President: Illinois, Nebraska, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Indiana, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, Wisconsin, Tennessee and Iowa. A period of three and a half months that sees 4,350,000 new women invested with political rights, almost one-third of the total given political rights up to this time, is surely the most notable period of like length in the whole suffrage movement. Iowa was the last and twenty-eighth State to accord just recognition this year, but it will not be the tallender in the procession very long. The minority of 20 States which still deny justice to their women is rapidly dissolving.

## THE RUSSIAN TANGLE.

An interview with Tchakovsky, President of the Russian Republic of the North, in the current number of the Survey, should be read by those who have, naturally enough, believed on insufficient information, that the Archangel Government was without standing and nothing more than an attempt by a political clique to oppose the Bolshevik regime at Petrograd.

The Archangel Government, like the Omsk or Siberian Government, has at least as good a standing, politically and legally, as the Bolshevik Government. The great difference is that, whereas the Bolsheviks forcibly dispersed the Russian Constituent Assembly and set up a dictatorship in the interest of a single class, the governments at Archangel and Omsk favor the settlement of Russia's affairs by the authority of a Constituent Assembly, representing all classes. But until order is restored, it will be manifestly impossible for the Constituent Assembly to reconvene.

So there are three great divisions making up Russia, the Northern Republic, the Siberian Republic, and the central or Great Russia tyranny, under the rule of Lenin and Trotsky. They are engaged in civil war.

Unlike our own Civil War, however, the Russian civil war is being waged by the strongest part of the country. Great Russia, against the weaker sections, to impose a despotism upon those sections. The statements of Lenin, quoted in John Spargo's book on "Bolshevism," show that the dictatorship of the proletariat necessarily means enforced labor, the very opposite of industrial democracy. In his pamphlet, "The Soviets at Work," Lenin says, "The Revolution has just broken the oldest, the strongest and the heaviest chains to which the masses were compelled to submit. So it was yesterday. And today the same Revolution (and, indeed, in the interest of Socialism) demands the absolute submission of the masses to the single will of those who direct the labor process."

For the Czar with his police and his Cossacks the Revolution has given Great Russia the Industrial Dictator, with his worship of piece work, the time clock, the foreman, and the "absolute submission" of the worker. The Post-Dispatch is receiving letters hotly defending the Bolshevik idea and practice. The writers are evidently discontented. No American would for a moment consent to become a cog in Lenin's monstrous industrial machine.



WAITING FOR THE SOLDIERS.

## The MIRROR OF PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

## SOME HISTORIC COMPARISONS.

AMOS PINCHOT in the Appeal to Reason.  
Of course, the Supreme Court must be aware that under the decision in the Debs case the Earl of Chatham, Edmund Burke and Lord Camden should have been behind the bars, for they did worse than attack the revolutionary war generally. They stood up and denounced England's part in it, and told the public why England ought to quit. Certainly, their speeches must have had a bad effect upon the English youth of military age, and possibly they had something to do with the fact that England had to hire Hessians to fight their battles. No doubt, too, the Judges of the Supreme Court remember that under the Debs decision, Lincoln (unless a President has special license to be seditious, which is hardly good doctrine in a democracy where we are all perfectly equal) should have been imprisoned when, in the winter of '62, at the very blackest hour of the Civil War, he sent a message to Congress, and published it, telling the country, in this message, the longest one he ever wrote—he said that the great thing was to end the war. He said he wanted to stop the slaughter. And he advised Congress to compromise with the Southern States, and let them keep slavery alive for 37 years more, gradually wiping the "peculiar institution" out by purchasing the slaves with Government bond issues. Could anything be more disgusting to the mind of a man intending to enlist? And, finally, if the decision in the Debs case had been law in England during the Boer war, David Lloyd George would about now be getting out of jail. For all through the Boer war Lloyd George said things quite as frank as Debs' Canton speech. He said the war was engineered by selfish interests, and he advised his country to get out and have nothing to do with it. And there can be no two ways of thinking as to the effect his words must have had on British enlistment.

The Supreme Court in the Debs case has gone on the theory that it can lock Eugene Debs' body by locking up Eugene Debs' mind. It is so short a time since society tried to jail the Sinn Féin idea, hang it in the Tower and what was the result? Then England might have settled the Irish question by freeing a few Irish patriots and giving Ireland Home Rule. Today she is freeing Irish patriots whom she did not hang or shoot, but she cannot settle the Irish question without freeing a nation of 4,000,000 people. When Padriac Pearse and James Connolly were shot, it seemed England a little and a natural thing. When we send Debs and scores of American agitators to jail for long terms, it seems to us but a little thing. And, though the difference between liberty and slavery and that between peace and revolution is not a little thing, it still may turn out a little thing. And this, perhaps, is the principle which Lord Napier had in mind when he said, "Foolish speak of agitators; there is but one—justice!"

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH  
by Clark McDanna

## ANTICIPATION.

WHEN Johnny comes marching home again,  
Hurrah! Hurrah!  
We'll have a look at our local men,  
Hurrah! Hurrah!

It's hard to say where we all shall stand  
To get a look at that valiant band,  
But we'll all be there when Johnny comes marching home.

It looks as if it would be a squeeze.  
Hurrah! Hurrah!  
Considering they have been overseas,  
Hurrah! Hurrah!

At that, to be certain that no one fell  
From a window in Citizen Hay's hotel  
Would comfort us when Johnny comes marching home.

A St. Louisian who went overseas was taken up in an airplane back of the allied front. After doing several neat turns, the pilot shut his engine off and began volplaning to earth. It is possible when the motor is not running to converse in an aeroplane.

"Do you see all those soldiers down there?" the pilot asked, indicating troops far below.

The St. Louisian said he did see them.  
"Well, half of those men think we are going to fail," the pilot responded with the nonchalance of those who go up to the sky in ships.

The St. Louisian, who doesn't mind telling the truth, made a quite truthful rejoinder. He said:

"Yes, and that's about the percentage of the same conviction in this plane."

However, the other half won all around. Nothing happened.

Impostors who represented themselves to be connected with the Quartermaster's Department have collected initial payments from a number of persons who were to be let in on the ground floor at a sale of Government cars at Jefferson Barracks. No such sale is contemplated. It looks as if the automobile had increased the sucker birth rate.

"What is the Peace Conference doing now?"

"I haven't looked it up today, but the last I heard it was ironing out the political quarrels of the Old Testament."

The league of nations will begin with 32 members, and hopes within a short time to add the Republican party.

Sir: Thanks for identifying some of the new poets for us yesterday. It was refreshing.

But think what Mr. Burleson has done for the wireless!

The circus broke the drouth.

The St. Louis Bird Club met on Saturday last, and just a minute was given to tell it that Missouri, which has not money enough to meet the ordinary requirements of State government, is about to appropriate \$10,000 for bounties on hawks, owls and eagles.

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## Seattle 'Revolution' Much Exaggerated; City Busy; Great Expansion Ahead

Most People of the Section Are Republicans but They Have Confidence in President Wilson and Want League of Nations.

By DAVID LAWRENCE,  
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 28.—Ten weeks have passed since the general strike here, and just a minute was given to tell it that Missouri, which has not money enough to meet the ordinary requirements of State government, is about to appropriate \$10,000 for bounties on hawks, owls and eagles.

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adopted by persons outside their organization, demanding that they "clean house," nevertheless, it is a safe prediction that they will clean house just the same.

The Central Labor Council in Seattle is not representative of labor, and 75 per cent of the workers would probably say so were they to be canvassed. If the Central Labor Council had any prestige before the general strike, it lost the same by the fiasco.

Attitude of Employers.  
The employers agreed to forgive and forget, and not to discriminate against the strikers. A lockout of strikers was ordered, a closed shop order confronting the labor-shoremen, who had won the open shop before the strike came, are among the exceptions to the understanding, but the strikes which have resulted are comparatively unimportant and few in number.

Considering the intensity of feeling, the attitude of the employers is, on the whole, commendable. They did not take advantage of the situation. Many of these workers, among the workers themselves, was a considerable body who didn't want the general strike but who were terrorized by the radicals. Nobody knows what might have happened if there had been a clash. The city could take no chances. The presence of troops was a precaution dictated by a desire to play absolutely safe.

Yet some of the best posted newspapers in Seattle, who have spent years studying labor conditions here, and whose integrity is unquestioned, assured me that they didn't believe then that revolution was imminent and they still don't believe it.

Hansen Fond of Theatricals.  
On the other side, too, was Mayor Ole Hansen, a picturesque figure, fond of theatricals and the spectacular. He acted decisively—called troops to the scene, and was ready to go the limit. But it is the opinion of conservative-minded men, who cannot be called partisans of either class, that the general strike would never have gone five days if the men had not been stirred up by the threats of the Mayor to use force.

Having not intended to do the things which he attributed to them, as their object, the leaders who were seeking to control the situation and the end of the strike, found the backs of the men stiffened. Whatever merit there is in the contention that irritation prolonged the strike, it is certainly a pity that any outside force had to be called in, because, today, outside of Seattle, people have the impression that the presence of troops quelled the rising, when, as a matter of fact, the uprising quelled itself.

In other words, never did a general strike absolutely prove its own utility so completely as did the one in Seattle. Residents of Seattle know what labor radicals are, and it is a good thing the true impression is firmly imbedded here. It failed because laboring men have wives and children, because they have homes, and because they are dependent, just as the employers, on street cars, electric lights, butcher shops, grocery stores, and the product of the numerous employees who are embraced in a general strike.

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## the "Grouch" at Home and the "Grouch" in Business

ANALYZED BY DR. HODGE OF COLUMBIA U.

Don't Know You Have Done It. Deny It, but Kick the Cat or Whatever Gets in Your Way—It's Just a "Bolshhevik" Condition of the Mind. Like Jealousy—It's an "Uncorrelated Idea."

By Zoe Beckley.

Now have a grouch defined for by Dr. Richard Morse Hodge, Professor of Biblical Literature at Columbia. A grouch is "A person who blames someone else, or society in general, for putting a hole into which he put himself." A grouch, furthermore, says Dr. Hodge, is always unconscious that it is one. Grouchiness is like jealousy, usually denied by the possessor of it. A grouch is a person with a sense, either just or unjust, who doesn't know he has it. He is a person suffers from an unrelated emotion. "Emotion," says Dr. Hodge, "is a correlated idea. A grouch is an emotion."

For example: You come home at night and kick the cat. You are in at the dinner. You call friend wife to account on general principle. You cuss at the evening paper's editorial. You quarrel with your neighbor who comes over to play bridge.

Instances of domestic infidelity I should approve of a separation agreed upon after all attempts at scientific and righteous adjustment had failed. . . . Co-operation—that is the proper course. And co-operation, like so-called "community" sense, is one of the rarest things in the world. Socialists refuse to co-operate with capitalists. Hence Bolshevism and its horrors. Wives and husbands refuse to co-operate with each other. Hence domestic Bolshevism. It means chaos and destruction. And it all grows out of grouch. The remedy? Don't let yourself be grouchy. Ask your friends at regular intervals if you are an incident or an actual grouch. And if they tell you yes, you are then BELIEVE them. Remember, no grouch ever knows he is a grouch!

Have you kicked the cat lately? A charming little bonbon basket can be made by covering a finger bowl with crocheted raffia. Blouses are more full in the back and tighter in front.

grouch," says Dr. Hodge, "is a Socialistic condition. Socialists and Socialists are exactly the same. The Socialist and the Bolshhevik therefore be eliminated as to have a peaceful, well-ordered world."

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## Gay Colors for This New Over-Blouse



By MARGUERITE MARTIN.

THE other day I saw an original garment which ought to be a success, so many purposes does it serve and problems does it solve. It is an over-blouse made of heavy imported crepe to be worn over the transparent waist which popularity wane not, as yet.

From the sketch it will be seen how worn under a cape or coat, the blouse produces the waistcoat effect, so almost indispensable to the new suits. And how worn without a coat it serves the purpose so long and so faithfully served by the sleeveless slip-over sweater.

## THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT

By MRS. F. A. WALKER.

Jack Ginger.

POLLY DOLL was quite in love with Worsted Tom until one day the little mistress bought a big gingerbread doll to the playroom. She called him Jack Ginger.

"He is quite the sweetest doll I ever saw," she whispered to Letty Doll, who sat near her, and Worsted Tom heard her.

Of course all the toys could talk, as it was just the midnight hour, so Worsted Tom went over to where Teddy Bear was sitting and told him his troubles.

"Polly is in love with that sweet fellow Jack Ginger," he told Teddy. "But if I do not miss my guess, when Jack-in-a-Box wakes up from his nap something will happen."

Teddy Bear looked over to where Jack's box sat and then he kicked up his feet and laughed. "I guess so, too," he said to Worsted Tom.

Jack Ginger had currits for eyes and his teeth were little nearly bits of rice stuck in his face after he was cooked. The buttons on his coat were just like eyes, so you see he was a very sweet-looking creature.

He had been carefully handled all day and at night he was put on top of the box in which Jack-in-a-Box lived, and this was why Worsted Tom and Teddy Bear were laughing so hard. They knew that Jack would soon awake and pop out of his box.

Polly Doll was looking at Jack Ginger very sweetly, hoping he would sit up and look at her, but Jack Ginger knew nothing about the manners of the playroom toys, so there he lay on his back, looking up at the ceiling.

Jack-in-a-Box awoke and when he heard talking outside he knew he had overslept, so out of his box he came with a spring that threw back his cover so quickly no one knew just what had happened until poor Jack Ginger lay on the floor with his arms and legs gone.

"How terrible!" Polly Doll screamed. "We must call for help at once; he is terribly injured."

Over from her corner came the Red Cross Nurse Doll, but with all her trying Jack Ginger, she told her, was beyond help, for she found that his head, too, was cracked right off at the neck.

"But why cry about it?" she said to Polly Doll, who stood by the side. "This is only a gingerbread man and he would not last after tomorrow anyway. He is not like us; he was only made to look like a doll, and the little mistress will eat him when she is tired of playing with him."

Polly Doll dried her eyes. "Do you know what?" she said to the nurse. "I merely asked my assistant to bring me down a couple of phials from upstairs," answered the nurse. "What?" cried the little phial. "No, you don't! If that hand has got to come off, use an ax or a saw!"

Mice detest the odor of camphor and when the mice get too wise for the traps just put a few pieces of gum camphor about the places they come, and by renewing once in five or six weeks your troubles will be over.

## The Magnificent Ambersons

An Epic of the Rise of an American City

By BOOTH TARKINGTON.

Author of "Monsieur Beaucaire," "The Gentleman From Indiana," and Other Notable Stories.

Chapter X (Continued).

GEORGE read one sentence in this letter several times. Then he dropped the missive in his wastebasket to join the clipping and strolled down the corridor of his dormitory to borrow a copy of "Twelfth Night." Having secured one, he returned to his study and refreshed his memory of the play—but received no enlightenment that enabled him to comprehend Lucy's strange remark.

However, he found himself impelled in the direction of correspondence, and presently wrote a letter—not a reply to his Aunt Fanny.

Dear Lucy: No doubt you will be surprised at hearing from me so soon again, especially as this makes two in answer to the one received from you since getting back to the old home. I hear you have been making comments about me at the theater, that some actor was more democratic in his manners than I am, which I do not understand.

You know my theory of life, because I explained it to you on our first drive together, when I told you I would not take to everybody about things I feel like the way I feel about you. I am not of life. I believe those who are able should have a true theory of life, and I developed my theory of life long ago.

Well, here I sit smoking my faithful bear pipe, including the fragrance of my tobacco as I look out on the campus from my many-paned window, and things are different with me from the way they were way back in Freshman year. I can see now how boyish in many ways I was then. I believe what has changed me as much as anything was my visit home at the time I met you. So I sit here with my faithful bear and dream the old dreams over as it were, dreaming of the waltzes we waltzed together and of that last night before we parted, and you told me the good news you were going to live there, and I would find my friend waiting for me when I got home next summer.

I will be glad my friend will be waiting for me. I am not capable of friendship except for the very few, and, looking back over my life, I remember there were times when I doubted if I could feel a great friendship for anybody—especially girls. I do not take a great interest in many people, as you know, for I find most of them shallow. Here in the old place I do not believe in being half-fellow-well-not with every Tom, Dick and Harry just because he happens to be a classmate, any more than I do at home, where I have always been careful who I was seen with, largely on account of the family, but also because my disposition ever since my boyhood has been to encourage real intimacy from but the few.

What are you reading now? I have finished both "Henry Esmond" and "The Virginians." I like Thackeray because he is not trashy, and because he writes principally of nice people. My theory of literature is an author who does not indulge in trashiness—writes about people you could introduce into your own home. I agree with my Uncle Sidney, as I once heard him say he did not care to read a book or go to a play about people he would not care to meet at his own dinner table. I believe we should live by certain standards and ideals, as you know from my telling you my theory of life.

Well, a letter is a place for deep discussions, so I will not go into the subject. From several letters from my mother, and one from Aunt Fanny, I hear you are seeing a good deal of the family since I left. I hope sometimes you think of the member who is absent. I got a silver frame for your photograph in New York, and I keep it on my desk. It is the only girl's photograph I ever took the trouble to have framed, though, as I told you frankly, I have had any number of other girls' photographs, yet at we only passing fancies, and sometimes I have questioned in years past if I was capable of much friendship toward the feminine sex, which I usually found shallow until our own friendship began. When I look at your photograph, I say to myself, "At last, at last here is one that will not prove shallow." My faithful bear has gone out. I will have to rise and fill it, then once more in the fragrance of my Lady Nicotine. I will sit and dream the old dreams over, and think, too, of the true friend at home awaiting my return in June for the summer vacation.

Friend, this is from your friend, G. A. M. (To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

## Maude Radford Warren Says Mars Has Made Home Safe for German Women

WHATEVER the final peace may be, old man Mars has made home safe for the German women. Also he has raised the shade of Socrates to oppose the American political boss.

Both of these statements are vouched for by Mrs. Maude Radford Warren, novelist and war correspondent, whose opportunities for observation at the front and in Germany probably were the most extensive accorded any of her sex, says the Chicago Tribune.

"War made a philosopher of the doughboy," she explains. "I recall one I spent at Boney a town in the St. Mihiel sector, where the war population had been 92, but where, due to shell fire, there were two to 50 deaths a day. My companions in the doughboy were American infantrymen who had been in France less than three months—men of humble origin socially but by the test of war every one a nobleman."

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## The Father of Modern Socialism.

THIS year marks the 102d anniversary of Socialism as it is accepted today, since it was in 1817 that Robert Owen laid his plan for a socialistic community before the Committee on the Poor Law of the House of Commons. Owen's scheme came to nothing, in its immediate effects, but it started an agitation which never ceased from that day on, and which has culminated in the present German Government. In 1817 the socialistic propaganda was also launched in France, under the leadership of the Comte de Saint Simon. But this form of Socialism, as that of Owen, while claiming many adherents, eventually passed into the discard, and both were replaced by the "scientific and revolutionary" Socialism of the German school, headed by Karl Marx. This is the Socialism which the world now knows.

Karl Marx, the German Jew who fathered the modern socialistic school, died 26 years ago. He had many great associates and successors in carrying on the socialistic propaganda, including Friedrich Engels, Ferdinand Babel and Wilhelm Liebknecht, the latter the father of Dr. Karl Liebknecht, who for years was a leader in German Socialism affairs, but developed Bolshevist tendencies as a result of the war and was murdered in the streets of Berlin only a short time ago. Marx is honored as the founder and father of the modern movement and he was undoubtedly the ablest of the pioneers who endured imprisonment in Prussian prisons for "the cause." Marx's great work, "Capital," is the so-called "Bible of Socialism," and the bitterest critics of the Marxian creed admit that it is a monumental work.

Marx and other German pioneers were often imprisoned and expelled from the country, but they continued their work in England. Half a century ago the Social Democrats returned five members to the North German Diet, and every year after that their membership increased until, at the beginning of the war, the Socialists were numerically powerful than all the other German parties put together. Under the old system of government, however, the Socialists in the Reichstag, in spite of their numerical superiority, could do little more than talk and agitate.

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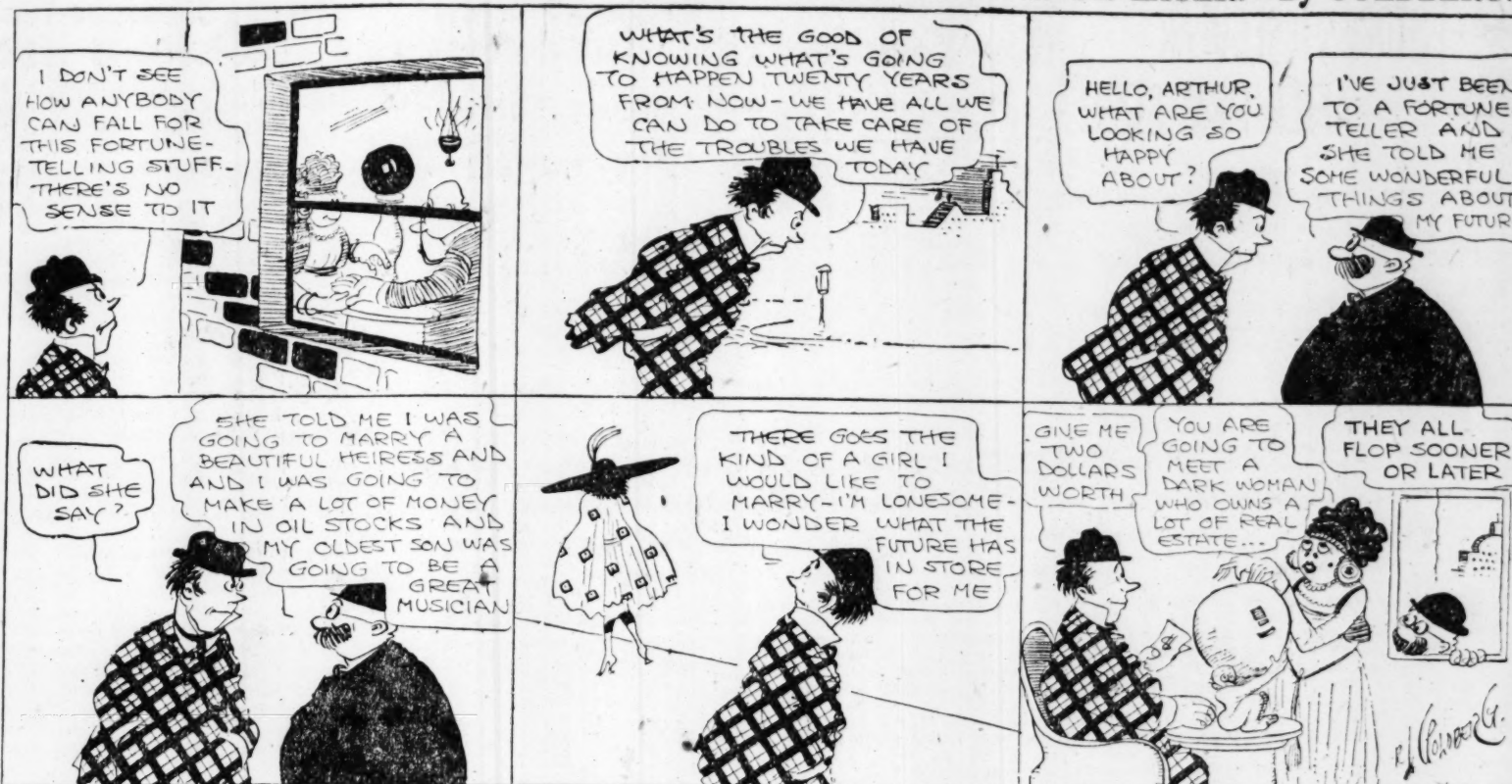








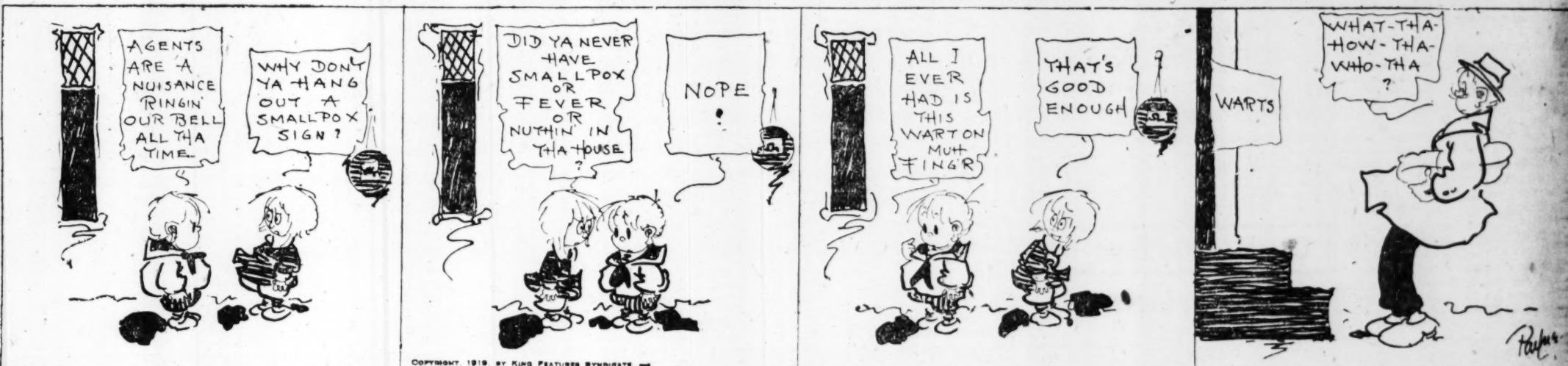
**THEY ALL FLOP SOONER OR LATER.—By GOLDBERG.**



MUTT AND JEFF—YES, WHO SAID THE WAR WAS OVER?—By BUD FISHER.



"SAY, POP!"—IT WAS THE ONLY SIGN WILLIE COULD HANG OUT.—BY PAYNE



By Jean Knott

*The Little Lady in White Finds a Way to Beat the Plan of Raising Rents.*

By Bide Dudley



"'AT," said Lucille the Waitress, as the Friendly Patron searched for the guilty oyster in his soup, "this raised rent thing is causing a sort of dissimulation around this old bug, ain't it?"

"It certainly is," he replied.

"Yes, indeed, old timer," Lucille went on. "It's mostly the preponderance of the rent and no-nonsense chow imperialism. Let anybody say 'Rent' and right away the barron flies up and away they go. Sometimes a victim will get too noisy about it and he'll have a sort of soft-pedal him. You know—we can't have this joint made over into a joint just because some guy wants to hear his gift of declamation for a center."

"That's the way," the Friendly Patronical boy in here this morning. The first thing he says after punctuating a bean with his fork: was to get the waiter arrested."

"That much didn't do any harm. We all know his landlord ought to be arrested, just like all landlords, so his remark was merely *per anubus* to get the waiter arrested for 'all O. K.' But he keeps shouting and strains the situation to the skidding point."

"The next bum' nott he shoots over to the waiter: 'My landlord put my rent up 25 bux'—"

"'Hu'h!' I says. 'That shouldn't make much difference to you.'"

"And why? he asks."

"Because," I tell him, "the report is out that the rent is going to be way: Twenty-five per centage of nothing equals nothing. Now, in which direction do we proceed from this interesting post?"

"Well, sir, my madhoom so mad he couldn't find his madhoom. At least six beans went astray."

"Who was a telling you I don't pay my rent? he quizzes me with."

"'Needn't to mind!' I tell him. 'Don't forget that we got landlords serving in here the same as tenants!'"

"My landlord never eats in here," he says with scorn and disdain, "eats at the wealthy cafes."

"That's good," I says. "It shows he don't eat no rent and no dissimulation of his monthly stipend. If he ate in here he'd have to have your rent to pay for stomach specialties."

"That was putting it pretty strong. You know, my landlord is a fellow that are sound gastrically, but some of 'em ain't. He fits-chooting off the subject. He gets so sore he calls the owner of this place."

"'Mister,' he says, 'I want this girl fired. She just told me I don't pay my rent.'"

"The boss turns around to me and says: 'Lucile, whaddye want to be spilling secrets in public for? Ain't you got a job in your book?'"

"Before I could hand him the proper testimony the cranky victim, on account of the laughs that ensuured about him, slid off his stool and left the place in your noby. Out, so I just pulled down the curtain on the happenstance and let it slide as the end of a perfect day."

"But how about 'our rent?' asked the Friendly Patron. "Hasn't it been raised?"

"'My rent?' came from Lucille. "Naw. You don't s'pose I take the landlord's simp son tme to the chaffaufers 'Bul last week for nothing do you?"

The number of trunk telephone lines in the United Kingdom has trebled in 10 years.

### Swell Manners.

Some people affect to think that nice table manners are of recent invention, and that our grandfathers were unacquainted with dainty conduct. I show such people that it is wrong they allow us to quote from treasured work, "Inquire Within, or 3700 Facts for the People," published in Philadelphia in 1855:

"If possible, the knife should never be put in the mouth at all; but if it is necessary, let the edge be turned outward.

"The teeth should be picked as little as possible, and never with the fork.

"When napkins are provided they are to be unfolded and laid on the knees. Use the napkin to wipe the mouth or the fingers. Never use a napkin, or to wipe the brow."

The "if possible" is what makes a hit with us.—Cleveland Plain Dealer

### Retold to Keep It Going.

"Frances," said the little girl's mamma, who was entertaining callers in the parlor, "you came downstairs so noisily that you could be heard all over the house. Now go upstairs and come downstairs like a lady."

Frances retired and after a few moments re-entered the parlor.

"Did you hear me come downstairs this time, mamma?"

"No, dear; I am glad you came down quietly. Now, don't ever let me have to tell you again not to come down noisily. Now tell these boys and your sister how you came down like a lady the second time, when the first time you made so much noise."

The last time I slid down the banister, explained Frances—Philadelphia Bulletin.

## Tender-Hearted.

"And why have you never married?" asked Miss Peach. "Are you a woman hater?"

"Oh, my, no!" replied Mr. Oldbach. "You see, I hated to make about a thousand girls unhappy just to make one of them happy."—**Knoxville Journal and Tribune.**

### Remove Cake From Tins.

Cake can easily be removed from the tins if directly after being removed from the oven it is placed upon a cloth which has been wrung out of hot water for a few minutes.

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### His Sense of Duty.

"What makes you stay around the office?"  
 "It's my sense of duty, boss."  
 "Huh?"  
 "I lie awake too much at night thinking about my work."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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